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Fuel oil consumption 91 per cent of allotment to date for period ending February 2.

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And others showing the President on his epochal trip.
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Churchill, Military Leaders Hold War Council in Turkey

Army, Navy Ask Seizure Of 7 Million Civilian Cars

Spare Tires Should Also Be Taken Up, Patterson Asserts as Battle Flares Anew

By Robert De Vore
Post Staff Writer

Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson yesterday disclosed that he has proposed officially that the Government drastically slash civilian use of rubber to the point of taking seven million passenger cars off the streets, seizing spare tires on all of the Nation's 27 million private autos and eliminating long-distance truck and bus operation.

The proposal was made, he revealed, in a letter last December 8 to Rubber Director William M. Jeffers. Bluntly he blurted out his opinion that it "has not been the policy of the rubber director" to cut down passenger car use to the point Patterson believes essential.

Patterson's letter to Jeffers highlighted a day-long hearing before a special joint investigation committee of the House Naval and Military Affairs Committees that gave Washington its first public view of the bitter disputes between Patterson and Undersecretary of the Navy James V. Forrestal, on one side, and Jeffers on the other.

Battle for Priorities

They battled for priorities for the use of plant facilities for making equipment essential to the production of high-octane gasoline and Navy patrol boats, on one hand, and synthetic rubber on the other.

This conflict attracted Nationwide attention last week when Jeffers publicly assailed "so-called expediters—the Army and Navy loafers" and "Washington experts." It was to get to the bottom of these charges that the special committee was organized.

To Jeffers, bull-necked Irishman who rose from office boy to president of the Union Pacific Railroad, the proposal of Patterson amounted to this:

"The Army and Navy think you can take this country off rubber. I say you can't."

Patterson's Plan

Here is what Patterson, an angry man before the committee, said ought to be done to save rubber:

1. Cut down gasoline rations to the point where all passenger cars will be laid up except for the "most essential uses. Stop all Sunday and holiday driving.

2. Stop all truck operations except those that are "indispensable." Plenty of beer and soft-drink trucks are still using rubber, Patterson observed.

3. Elimination of most, if not all, long-distance truck and bus operations.

4. Purchase or requisition all civilian tires released by points two and three of his program.

5. Take all spare tires on civilian autos.

6. Purchase all passenger cars above 20 million (there an esti-

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General Yields To Hen Arriving With Daily Egg

With American Forces at Ousseltia, Tunisia, Jan. 27 (Delayed) (AP).—A little black hen outranks the commanding general in an Army cook shack near here.

The general was sipping a cup of coffee when Pvt. George Neiberger, 37, of Clearlake Highlands, Calif., said, "General, do you mind finishing your coffee outside? Annette wants to come in."

"Who is Annette?" asked the surprised officer.

"She's my little black hen," Neiberger explained soberly. "Every morning she comes in here and lays me an egg. She usually gets here at 9:30 on the dot each morning and finishes up by 10. But she's bashful and won't operate if anyone stays in the cook shack with her."

So the general and the private shivered together in the cold wind outside while Annette did her bit for the American Army.

President Recalls Flynn Nomination

President Roosevelt yesterday withdrew from the Senate his nomination of Edward J. Flynn to be Minister to Australia. The President noted in his communication to the Senate that his action was taken at Flynn's request.

Flynn announced Sunday night he was asking cancellation of the nomination. Polls of Democratic leaders are said to have shown a majority of the Senate opposed to confirmation.

(Details on Page 3.)

To 'Follow Law'

Brown Says He Will Hold Lid on Prices

By Ben W. Gilbert
Post Staff Writer

Price Administrator Prentiss Brown told The Post yesterday that he intended to "follow the law" and hold prices to September 15 levels as far as possible, only allowing increases which the price-control statutes compel him to make.

He made the statement in response to a request for clarification of an earlier statement that prices could not be held at a "flat level" and that a "slow, well-ordered rise" of about one-half of 1 per cent a month was inevitable.

"I have no intention to permit prices to rise at all," Brown said, "except as I am compelled to do so by the 'gross inequities' and parity provisions of the statute."

Clarifies Early Statement

Brown's original statement was interpreted in some quarters as a virtual authorization of a price increase of 6 per cent a year. Some Government officials had feared that the public pronouncement which was made when he took office almost two weeks ago, succeeding Leon Henderson, would have the effect of increasing pressure on wage ceilings, thus jeopardizing the whole antiinflation control structure.

The Price Administrator explained that he did not desire "to give the impression I will allow prices to rise," but that in the interest of making "honest statements in public" was informing reporters that witnesses before the Senate Banking Committee, which

See PRICES, Page 6, Column 4.

Acting Chief Named for District OPA

Thompson, Former Aide to Henderson, Succeeds Leary

Robert K. Thompson, former secretary to Leon Henderson, erstwhile Price Administrator, was appointed acting administrator of the District OPA to fill the vacancy caused last week by the resignation of Whitney Leary.

The announcement was made late yesterday by Sylvan Joseph, regional OPA administrator.

Thompson, only 32 years old, will assume his new duties immediately and will confer with Leary on problems on the rationing program here.

Native of Albany

A native of Albany, N. Y., Thompson came here in 1917 and studied law at National Law School. After that he entered Federal service and became administrative assistant to Chester Davis in the Federal Reserve Board. In June, 1941, he became secretary of Henderson.

He is married and has two children, Robert K., jr., 5, and Judith Ann, 15 months. He lives in University Park, Md.

In the meantime an order eliminating the allocation method of restricting fuel oil sales by primary dealers was prepared yesterday and is scheduled to be released today by the OWI. Despite this, the local situation still remained an acute problem for the local dealers.

Although the abandonment of this system will help somewhat, some dealers are skeptical that the

See FUEL, Page 2, Column 1.

Senate Approval Seen for Rutledge

Confirmation by the Senate of the appointment of Wiley Blount Rutledge, 48, justice of the District Court of Appeals, to the Supreme Court bench is expected by Thursday after the Senate Judiciary Committee approved his selection yesterday by a vote of 11 to 0.

(Details on Page B-1)

Chuck Roast 17 Cts. Lb.

Horse Meat to Be Put on Sale Here Thursday for First Time

Horse meat for human consumption will go on sale here Thursday, The Post learned last night in a check that also disclosed that although the Washington meat shortage is acute, the capital is comparatively free from black market operations, and general disorganization reported in New York by Mayor LaGuardia.

Horse Meat—1900 pounds of it—will be placed on sale for human consumption for the first time in Washington at the Table Supply Store, 2007 Fourteenth Street Northwest.

Jack Alsetta, manager, said he anticipated that the meat would find a ready market. Prices, he said, would be approximately half those of beef. A chuck roast of beef, for example, sells at 35 cents a pound. A similar cut of horse meat will cost from 17 to 19 cents a pound.

Beef, lamb and pork are so difficult to get, Alsetta said, that he believed the public would welcome an opportunity to purchase horse meat. The meat is inspected just like the more familiar meats.

If this first experimental stock of horse meat finds as lively a market as Alsetta anticipates, the Table Supply Stores will also place it on sale in their branches in the Southwest section.

The National Office of Price Administration and local retail meat dealers are in complete agreement over the acute meat shortage here. The supply of meat, all admit, is

See MEAT, Page 2, Column 2.

WMC Starts Work on Job Priority Plan

Critically Needed Workers Virtually Would Be 'Frozen' At Present Tasks

A system of job priorities classifying workers in essential jobs in order of importance to promote most effective use of the Nation's skilled manpower is being developed by the War Manpower Commission, it was learned yesterday.

At least three classes of priority jobs would be established under the plan, which would be the first major implementation of the War Manpower Commission's power to direct all hiring in the country.

Workers in critical jobs in labor shortage areas would be placed in the top class and virtually "frozen" in their jobs. Instruction will shortly be sent to regional and area WMC officials to prepare lists of such employes as a preliminary to preparing "employment stabilization" plans to keep them in their jobs.

In critical labor shortage areas like Los Angeles and Detroit, tool and die workers and other highly skilled craftsmen employed on war work would be on this list.

Seeks Priorities Information

The second class would comprise a longer list of essential war jobs. Workers on this list would be expected to stay at their present jobs or move to jobs rated higher on the list. A third list would also include essential workers who would be allowed to move upward on the list, but who would be expected to refrain from moving down on the list.

Below this class would be the mass of workers who do not hold essential jobs and thus provide the main pool from which essential jobs can be filled.

Steps are expected to be taken from time to time to reduce this manpower pool. An important announcement on this aspect of the priorities program will be made today.

Enforcement of labor priorities regulations would rest with area and regional manpower officials.

May Use Draft as "Club"

Use of the Selective Service to cancel deferments of workers transferring in violation of policy determinations may also be provided, although the priorities schedule is not regarded as a new list of deferred occupations.

However, draft boards will have priorities determinations available

See McNUTT, Page 4, Column 5.

Married Men Without Children Face Draft Call

Starting this month some childless married men in the District will be inducted by Selective Service and by March and April they will be called up in large numbers, District Selective Service spokesmen stated yesterday.

Numbers of single men are not great enough to fill February quotas and by March their numbers will probably have been completely exhausted, the spokesman stated.

The new Selective Service order inducting men for the Navy, Marines and Coast Guard, as well as the Army, which became effective yesterday, will give the men their choice of service unless the quota has already been filled.

Two-Hour Talk

Leaders Get Roosevelt's Trip Story

President Roosevelt conferred for two hours late yesterday with Democratic and Republican leaders of Congress, reporting to them on his momentous war council with Prime Minister Churchill and Allied strategists in Casablanca, French Morocco.

When those in the delegation from Capitol Hill left the White House, they said that it had been agreed nothing was to be said about the conference for publication.

It was understood that Mr. Roosevelt gave the impression, in discussion of the probable size of the Army, that a total of 7,500,000 men was all that was planned for this year. He then gave a lengthy resume of conditions on all of the war fronts.

Those who heard Mr. Roosevelt's report were Vice President Wallace, Senators Alben W. Barkley, of Kentucky, majority leader; Tom Connally (Democrat), of Texas, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee; Charles L. McNary (Republican) of Oregon, minority leader.

Also Warren R. Austin (Republican) of Vermont; Speaker Sam Rayburn and Representatives John W. McCormack, of Massachusetts, majority leader; Joseph W. Martin, of Massachusetts, minority leader; Sol Bloom (Democrat) of New York, chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, and Charles A. Eaton (Republican of New Jersey, ranking minority member of that committee.

D. C. Captain Among Four New Admirals

Four Navy captains, including the man who was in charge of the navy yard at Pearl Harbor when the Japanese attacked there and a resident of Chevy Chase, were nominated by President Roosevelt yesterday for promotion to rear admiral.

Also promoted were 17 lieutenant colonels, including two from the District of Columbia, to the permanent rank of colonel.

The Pearl Harbor yard chief, upon whose shoulders fell responsibility for making initial repairs to vessels and installations damaged December 7, 1941, is Capt. Claude S. Gillette, whose usual residence was given as Crete, Nebr. He is at present assigned as manager of the Puget Sound (Wash.) Navy Yard.

The other captains nominated for promotion are Capts. Howard Fithian Kingman of Chevy Chase, Md., and Frank A. Braisted of Coronado, Calif., who have commands at sea, and Sherman S. Kennedy of Saginaw, Mich., manager of the navy yard at New York

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Soviet Drive Only 45 Miles From Rostov

Russians Moving On Kursk, Mopping Up Remnants of Trapped Nazi Units

Battle for Burma

BRITISH advance gradually on Akyab, Burma, despite almost insurmountable conditions of terain. Page 2.

MORE THAN 1000 Japs killed by Chinese in heavy fighting along border of Burma. Page 2.

EISENHOWER expected to be named supreme commander in all North Africa when the British Eighth Army merges with his forces. Page 3.

Swift Reconquest

By the Associated Press

London (Tuesday), Feb. 2.—The Soviet army is less than 45 miles from the Caucasian gateway city of Rostov, and only 65 miles east of Kursk, one of the main German bastions in southern Russia, Moscow announced early today in a communique recorded by the Soviet monitor here.

The Russians announced they captured Mechetinskaya, thus developing their nearest threat to Rostov. The town is about midway between Salsk and Rostov on a railway up which the Red army is driving.

Svatovo Captured

On the Voronezh front the town of Kshen fell to the advancing Red army, the communique said. This town is midway between Voronezh and Kursk, and only 65 miles from the latter on the main railway leading to the Kursk-Kharkov line that is the spinal column of Nazi communications in southern Russia.

A short special bulletin last night already had announced the fall of Svatovo, 34 miles southeast of Kupyansk in the Ukraine, and 93 miles from Kharkov. The Russians thus had cut another important German railway, the Kupyansk-Voroshilovgrad line, in their westward sweep which has carried them 90 miles into the Ukraine.

Voroshilovgrad, Donets Basin industrial city 75 miles southeast of captured Svatovo, already is endangered by Soviet units fighting within 10 miles of the city.

Two Bases Left

The Causcasian developments, however, were of the most immediate promise for the Russians. By taking the railway town 45 miles below Rostov the Red army was steadily narrowing the escape corridor left to the Germans pinned between the Russian-held railway lines below Rostov and the Black Sea and Sea of Azov to the west. The Nazis are estimated to have 200,000 troops in the Krasnodar-Novorossisk areas which are endangered by a Red army that

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Showdown in Offing

Yanks Launch Attack to Retake Key Heights in Central Tunisia

By Alfred E. Wall
Associated Press Staff Writer

(Axis Devotees Still Rule in Africa, Letters Say. Page 3.)

London, Feb. 1.—American troops have attacked German positions in the tactically important mountainous area of central Tunisia in three limited but bitterly contested sectors and air action has risen violence over nearly the whole of the North African theater to signalize the approach of the major action that will usher in the showdown.

United States infantry, supported by artillery and tanks, made heavy assaults in an effort to recapture Faid Pass, about 60 miles west of the important Axis coastal position of Sfax, and two other American columns beat against the railroad town of Maknassy, 33 miles inland from the Gulf of Gabes.

An Allied spokesman announced that a column pushing toward Maknassy from the north was "making progress" and gains were indicated by another heading eastward from the area northeast of Gafsa, although heavy German reinforcements were reported at the intermediate town of Sened.

The French high command acknowledged the loss of Faid Village and the height of Faid as well as the pass before the initial German assault, but said French artillery had knocked out about 12 tanks. Earlier reports had told of Allied aerial attacks which left a dozen Nazi tanks afire in Faid Pass and a London spokesman said a score of others were destroyed in fighting along the road between Faid and Sidi Bouzid, which the French still hold.

"The enemy suffered very heavy losses and was obliged during the action to bring up fresh infantry troops," the French communique said.

But at last reports today the enemy still held Faid and was

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Propaganda Suspected

Unverified Jap Boast Claims Sinking of Five U. S. Warships

Yank Planes Make Three More Raids On Solomons Bases

By John G. Norris
Post Staff Writer

American Navy planes have made three more raids on Japanese bases in the upper Solomons and Nipponese airmen have retaliated with an attack on United States positions on Guadalcanal, the Navy announced last night.

The Navy communique reporting this new flurry of aerial activity in the Solomons made no reference to Tokyo claims that a big naval air battle had been fought off Rennell Island, which is about 100 miles south of the southeastern Solomons.

Telling of the new air raids on the Jap bases at Munda and Kolombangara—respectively 180 and 190 sea miles northwest of Guadalcanal airfield—the Navy said they took place Friday and Saturday (Solomons time).

The Jap claim that two American battleships and three cruisers had been sunk off Rennell Island by torpedo planes had the action occurring on the same dates our bombers from Guadalcanal were raiding Munda and Kolombangara.

Naval officials here declined comment on the Tokyo report—unconfirmed in any United Nations capital. Unofficial observers pointed out that Japan often has made similar claims in the past which have turned out to be mere "fishing expeditions"—seeking information as to the American Fleet—or have been factual only to the extent that a battle had been fought.

In the past, the first word that a naval battle has been fought often has come from the Japs, but when the United States Navy subsequently reported what happened the outcome was vastly different than the enemy's claims.

The delay usually has been caused by the fact that the American warships involved maintained radio silence until well away from the battle scene.

Last night's Navy communique also told of continuing ground fighting on Guadalcanal. The ad-

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2 Battleships Among Those Sent Down, Tokyo Radio Asserts

By the Associated Press

Japanese imperial headquarters asserted yesterday—without confirmation from any non-Japanese quarter—that its planes had sunk two American battleships and three cruisers last Friday and Saturday off Rennell Island, southernmost of the Solomons, about 100 miles south of Guadalcanal.

This wholly unsupported claim was made in a communique read in the Japanese Diet by Navy Minister Admiral Shigetaro Shimada and was broadcast by the Tokyo radio.

Another battleship and cruiser were reported damaged and three Grumman Wildcat fighters were shot down at the cost of only 10 Japanese planes, the communique said. The account was ignored by Washington and London and recalled other fantastic claims of Japanese naval success.

Propaganda Suspected

Tokyo propaganda broadcasts termed the "attack" an answer to the Roosevelt-Churchill "unconditional surrender" conference at Casablanca. Their tone thus suggested that the Japanese might be circulating the report to counteract effects of the Allied strategy meeting. Another purpose, possibly, was to fish for information about Allied naval dispositions in the Southwest Pacific, where the Japanese are under increasing pressure on Guadalcanal and New Guinea.

A Domei broadcast purporting to describe the two-day assault said Japanese scouting planes

See JAPAN, Page 6, Column 7.

Brig. Vivian Dykes Dies in Action

The British-American combined chiefs of staff announced last night that Brigadier Vivian Dykes, 45, senior British secretary of the group, had been "killed while on active service." No details of his death were disclosed.

$8000 Plum

Ex-Rep. McKeough Expected To Receive Midwest OPA Post

Former Chicago Congressman Raymond S. McKeough was slated last night to be appointed regional director of the Office of Price Administration for the seven-State Midwest area with headquarters in the Windy City.

The $8000-a-year plum became vacant yesterday with the resignation of John C. Weigel, who originally established OPA's Chicago office. In a letter of resignation to OPA Administrator Prentiss M. Brown, Weigel gave no explanation of his action.

Although the appointment of McKeough, who served four terms in the House, would not be subject to Senate confirmation, observers foresaw possible political repercussions on Capitol Hill in view of his connections with the Kelly-Nash Democratic machine in Chicago.

McKeough, a Democrat, met defeat in the last election in an attempt to unseat C. Wayland Brooks, isolationist Republican Senator from Illinois who ran with the support of the Chicago Tribune. McKeough went down to defeat in spite of the indorsement of the powerful Kelly-Nash Chicago machine.

Mayor Kelly of Chicago was in Washington last week conferring with Brown for the announced

RAYMOND McKEOUGH

purpose of discussing fuel oil rationing problems.

The seven-State region slated to go to McKeough includes the States of Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North and South Dakota and Wisconsin. Eleven of the fourteen Senators from the area are Republican, with Guy M. Gil-

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Wants Funds Stopped

Dies Gives Names of 'Radicals' In Attack on Bureaucrats

By the Associated Press

Representative Dies (Democrat), Texas, proposed yesterday, amid applause from both Democrats and Republicans, that Congress rid the Government of "crackpot" and "radical" bureaucrats, by withholding funds from agencies employing such persons.

The Texan charged that numerous persons with responsible Government jobs have Communistic affiliations.

Dies named approximately 40 Government employes after saying he would "make crystal clear just what we mean by irresponsible, unrepresentative, crackpot and radical bureaucrats," including employes of the Federal Communications Commission, War Production Board and other agencies.

A "well organized and well financed movement" is being waged by "devotees of totalitarianism," to discredit Congress and its members—"an attempt to pin the Nazi label on those who do not agree with all policies of the present Administration," he said.

Representative Rogers (Democrat), California, expressing a disagreement with Dies, told the House he objected to "use of this great forum as a means of what we in Hollywood call personal publicity." He criticized "the sentiments expressed and the flam-

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Surprise Arouses Allies Of Allies Into Bal

By Relin[illegible]
Associated Press

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[The Rome radio asserted tonight, according to the International News Service, that American Lieut. Gen. Brehon Somervell, commanding general of the Services of Supply, now is in Ankara studying the problem of improving communications to Russia. Reuter's News Agency heard the broadcast.—Editor's note.]

Meet Near Syrian Border

Although the official announcement said agreement had been reached on "all principal points," only one was named—the manner whereby Britain and the United States would be "able to help Turkey materially to consolidate her own general security."

It added that "consideration also was given to postwar problems on which agreement was again reached."

An authoritative source said both Roosevelt and Premier Stalin had previously been apprised of the meeting, and the decisions reached

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Churchill Elated At Anglo-Turkish Understanding

Cairo (Tuesday), Feb. 2 (AP).—Prime Minister Churchill of Britain, returning here from military and political talks in Turkey, was in buoyant spirits last night in talking informally of Britain's understanding with that country.

Blowing smoke spirals with his usual cigar, the Prime Minister said he hoped the press would not read more into the agreement, "further strengthening" the bonds between Turkey and Britain, than was outlined in the official announcement.

Then he grinned and said, "As you know I always avoid prophesying because it is better to prophesy after the event has taken place."

Churchill was pointed in his remarks on the old, deep-rooted British-Turkish friendship "which was so tragically splashed by tragedy in the last war."

"Now it is filled with the fullest strength and sincerity, and I cannot doubt that it will continue in the fullest vitality," he said.

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British and Indians Advance in Burma

Japanese Strength, Natural Hazards, Make Going Hard

By Thoburn Wiant
Associated Press Staff Writer

With British-Indian Forces on the Western Burma Front, Jan. 28 (Delayed).—British and Indian troops, undaunted by tremendous natural hazards and stronger Japanese resistance than was expected, gradually are advancing southward in the Arakan hill tracts of the Mayu Range here in western Burma.

At the moment two of the three fronts are fluid.

On the Mayu Peninsula, the Japenese have been pushed southward to a 4-mile line stretching roughly from Donbaik to the west bank of the Mayu River, forming a 15-square mile triangle having Foul Point as its inverted tip. Foul Point is 14 miles from the city of Akyab.

At Kyautaw, where the Indians are controlling the west bank of the Kaladan River, the Japanese are still perched on two pagoda-capped hills east of Bani.

The Rathedaung front now is more or less stabilized. The British and Indians are holding one hill north of the strategic town and the Japs are clinging tenaciously to two hills to the west. Before occupying Rathedaung with security, the British must hurl the Japanese from the hills.

The occupation of Kyauktaw nearly two weeks ago climaxed an amazing 60-mile march over the mountains and through jungles where no man ever had been before. It took the Indians, wielding long knives, five weeks to hack through to Kyauktaw. Then, although nearly exhausted, they turned southward and began methodically to clean out the Japanese.

The British forces gradually are improving their communication lines while United States and R. A. F. bombers and fighters are plastering the Japanese lines daily and nightly. The Royal Indian Navy patrols along the Bay of Bengal side of the Mayu Peninsula and up the Mayu River, causing much grief for the Japanese.

The other night at the mouth of the Mayu an Indian naval boat rammed and set afire a large Japanese boat filled with troops. At least 50 Japanese were drowned.

War Sidelights

Finnish Hit Statement By Goering

New York, Feb. 1 (AP).—The pro-Nazi Finnish newspaper Helsingin Sanomat published an energetic protest against Reichmarshal Herman Goering's statement in a Nazi anniversary speech Saturday that the Russian campaign against Fin[illegible] the smartest and greatest in history," a B. B. [illegible] corded by Columbia [illegible] ystem said today.

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[illegible]er, as one dealer pointed [illegible] yesterday, the problem still is one of supply. He said shelving of the allocation method would release frozen stock here, but that amount is too small to meet demands.

All local dealers have been operating on a day-to-day basis in supplying consumers. This situation has existed since November. Yesterday's canvass of dealers was not unlike those of other days. Dealers contacted reported they had virtually no oil.

Release of tank cars usually used in the transportation of gasoline to that of bringing fuel oil into the District is expected to alleviate the crisis. However, it will be another 10 or 15 days before tank cars roll into Washington in sufficient quantity to really help.

On the other hand, the curtailment of gasoline tank cars isn't expected to work a hardship on motorists in view of the pleasure driving ban and various other rationing orders.

The local OPA office stated last night that none of its inspectors had been out over the weekend to check motorists for pleasure driving. It doubted that there had been any reasonable violation of the ban due to the icy condition of the streets after the heavy snow and sleet.

Horse Meat Sale To Start Here

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about one-third of normal.

Despite this shortage, a spokesman for national OPA said last night, few violations of price ceilings have been noted in the District.

OPA could not offer any explanation of why Washington is so much more law-abiding than New York, where a survey by LaGuardia showed widespread black market operations.

In New York LaGuardia's meat study committee reported that the supply was 41 per cent of normal, a greater percentage than that estimated here.

In Washington, however, OPA finds so far "only a few isolated instances of petty chiseling" on meat prices, as against the LaGuardia finding of widespread violations in the retail market.

The local office of OPA disclosed yesterday that it was conducting an investigation to see to what extent a black market was operating here. A check by The Post failed to discover any butchers who had even been offered meat illegally.

Meat dealers were unanimous in stating that if such meat were offered they would not only refuse to buy it, but would report the would-be seller to proper authorities, since illegally butchered meat is apt to be dangerous from a health standpoint.

One store reported that where their normal purchase weekly from one wholesaler used to amount to $600, it now runs to but $247.

B-17 Lands in Garden Patch With 3 Motors Knocked Out

By Edward D. Ball
Associated Press Staff Writer

A United States Army Air Forces Bomber Station, Somewhere in England, Feb. 1.—This is the story of another badly wounded Flying Fortress which fluttered home on one stuttering engine and came down safely in a garden patch so small the plane had to be dismantled to get it out.

The Fortress was dubbed "Werewolf" and its pilot, First Lieut. George J. Oxrider of Dayton, Ohio, stayed at the controls after others in the crew bailed out on his promise to follow suit.

The Werewolf was among Fortresses which raided Brest, Nazi submarine base in western France, January 23, and was hit by a tremendous burst of flak, an official account released today disclosed.

The No. 4 engine was knocked out. No. 3 quit midway over the British Channel and No. 1 gave up over the English coast because an oil line was severed.

Shoved Him Out

Sergt. Theodore C. Heaps of Duquesne, Pa., the waist gunner, balked at being the first to take to his parachute. Finally he was shoved out by Lieut. Donald L. Grant of Sullivan, Ill., the navigator. Others jumped until only Oxrider and the copilot, Lieut. Donald W. Hurlburt of Ada, Okla., remained.

Hurlburt wouldn't go until he obtained the pilot's assurance that he would follow. Instead, Oxrider stayed and started toward a likely looking field, but found it filled with children. Then he spied the garden and landed with only slight damage.

But the story doesn't end there. The top turret gunner, Tech. Sergt. Frederick B. Ziemer of Kankakee, Ill. parachuted into the arms of a farmer who thought he was a German and marched him to a police station where he was quickly released.

Barefoot Landing

Sergt. Samuel P. Maxwell of Gerton, N. C. landed on a mountain side in his bare feet. The snap of the parachute had thrown off his shoes.

The ball turret gunner, Sergt. Robert H. Smith of Indianapolis came down in a flock of sheep and got wool in his eyes.

The radio operator, Tech. Sergt. Everett A. Dasher of Marlow, Ga. landed near a lad who drew a long-bladed knife and threatened him until Dasher convinced the boy he was not a Nazi.

As the bombardier, Lieut. Earl A. Steele of Elizabeth, Colo, jumped, he shouted to the navigator: "Don't forget our date in town tonight."

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Private Lives

By Edwin Cox

TWO SHAKES —AND IT'S DRY!
THE SHORTAGE IN CLEANING FLUID IS NO JOKE TO GLAMOR STAR TALLULAH BANKHEAD —WHO'S AVOIDED LENGTHY SOAP-AND-WATER SESSIONS AT THE HAIRDRESSER'S FOR YEARS BY HAVING THE QUICK-DRYING LIQUID POURED THROUGH HER LOCKS AT HOME.
SUNNY SIDE UP?
FAVORITE SNACK OF LT.-GENERAL "IKE" EISENHOWER IS AS AMERICAN AS HIS NATIVE STATE OF KANSAS. IT'S A FRIED EGG SANDWICH!
HELLO UP THERE!
SOME POETS SING OF STARS WITHOUT KNOWING MUCH ABOUT THEM—BUT EDNA ST. VINCENT MILLAY IS A REALLY GOOD AMATEUR ASTRONOMER.
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1000 Japanese Killed in China

By the Associated Press

Chungking, Feb. 1.—More than 1000 enemy troops have been killed or wounded in heavy fighting still in progress along the Burma-Yunnan border, the Chinese high command asserted tonight.

The battle began Thursday, the high command's communique said, when the Japanese launched a strong attack with fresh forces in an attempt to relieve a Japanese unit encircled by the Chinese.

Although the assault received strong air support, the Chinese held their lines, the communique said. It added that Chinese losses also were considerable.

On this front the Japanese are trying to drive into China's southwest Province of Yunnan from the Shan States of Burma, using some Thai units with their own troops.

The communique said that Chinese troops recently raided the enemy-held City of Picheng in northern Kiangsu, the province which contains Shanghai and Nanking, and killed more than 100 officers and men of a regiment belonging to the forces of the Japanese-dominated Nanking regime. The regimental commander was among the slain.

Dies Attacks Bureaucrats

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Dies, who for several years has headed the House Committee on un-American Activities, charged in his speech that a "well organized conspiracy," with devotees among well-paid Government employes of un-American views, was "seeking to smear Congress and discredit its members."

A demonstration occurred in the gallery, causing Speaker Rayburn to warn of clearing the spectators from the chamber. Two young women forthwith left the gallery.

At one point Dies asserted Maurice Parmelee, whom he identified as the author of "Nudism in Modern Life," was dismissed by the Board of Economic Warfare, after an attack by Dies, but had been reemployed by the Rialway Retirement Board at a salary of $4600 a year.

"Time and again, a similar thing has occurred. The contempt which these bureaucrats have for the Congress which appropriates their salaries is unbounded."

Marshall Field Query

At one point, moving away from Government employes, Dies asked "What was the reason Marshall Field (owner of the New York newspaper PM and the Chicago Sun) would contribute large sums of money to known Communist organizations?"

"Here is a man who by his great wealth," he said, "is financing publications and organizations that attack not one member, not five members, but the majority of the members of this House as secret sympathizers and agents of our enemies."

Dies asserted that Frederick L. Schuman, chief political analyst of the Federal Communications Commission at $5800 a year, had a record of "communist affiliations."

Turning to Goodwin B. Watson, chief broadcast analyst of the Federal Communications Commission at $6500, he said:

"In a letter which I sent to Chairman Fly on November 18, 1941, I called attention to Goodwin Watson's long record of communist views and his numerous affiliations with Communist front organizations.

"As a result of that exposure, this House once refused to allow any of the portion of the appropriation of the Federal Communications Commission to be used to pay the salary of Goodwin Watson. Since that time, Watson's salary has been raised from $5600 to $6500 a year."

Dies included other names of persons he identified as follows:

William E. Dodd, jr., Federal Communications Commission.

Paul R. Porter, chief of the shipbuilding stabilization branch of the War Production Board.

John Herling, principal business consultant, Office of Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs.

Paul F. Brissenden, consultant in the shipbuilding stabilization committee of WPB.

David J. Saposs, assistant to the chief of labor division, WPB.

Maurice Parmelee, economist, Railroad Retirement Board.

Harold Loeb, senior economist in building materials, WPB.

Sam Schmerler, policy consultant, Social Security Board.

Emil Jack Lever, head labor adviser, War Production Board.

David Lasser, senior labor economist, WPB.

Tom Tippett, assistant chief, rent section, Office of Price Administration.

Henry G. Alsberg, senior feature writer, Office of War Information.

David Karr, assistant chief, foreign language division, OWI.

Guiseppi Facci, senior foreign language adviser, OWI.

David Wahl, associate analyst, Board of Economic Warfare.

Hugh Hiller, senior attorney, Bituminous Coal Commission.

Walter Gellhorn, assistant general counsel, New York office of OPA.

Jack Fahy, principal liaison officer, Board of Economic Warfare.

Robert Morss Lovett, secretary of the Virgin Islands.

Merle Vincent, director hearings branch, Department of Labor.

Gardner Jackson, until recently a Department of Agriculture economist.

Alice Barrows, specialist in school buildings, Office of Education.

William Pickens, principal securities promotion specialist, Treasury Department.

Arthur F. Goldschmidt, special assistant to the Secretary of the Interior.

Marcus I. Goldman, employed by Department of Interior.

Leonard Emil Mins, Office of Strategic Services.

Henry T. Hunt, special assistant to the general counsel, Federal Works Agency.

Mary McLeod Bethune, National Youth Administration.

Harry C. Lamberton, head attorney, Rural Electrification Administration.

T. A. Bisson, principal economic analyst, Board of Economic Warfare.

Katherine Kellock, Board of Economic Warfare.

Jay Deiss, senior editor-writer, Federal Security Agency.

Milton V. Freeman, assistant solicitor, Securities and Exchange Commission.

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Duce Promises Italy's Return To Lost Empire

By the Associated Press

London, Feb. 1.—Premier Mussolini, in his first speech since the British wiped out Italy's African empire, promised today to return there "where our dead await us, and where we have left indestructable marks of our powerful civilization."

Addressing Fascist militia "somewhere in central Italy" on the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the militia, Il Duce said victory in the war would go to the side "able to hold out a quarter-hour longer than the enemy."

Also at this first opportunity to comment publicly on the Roosevelt-Churchill "unconditional surrender" conference in North Africa, Mussolini said:

"We and our comrades of the Axis and the tripartite pact reply to the mad, criminal propagandist mystification of Casablanca that we shall never give up as long as we are able to grasp a weapon for combat."

First Since December 3

Today's speech was the first made by Mussolini since December 3.

In that speech he said that the Germans had beaten the Russians and that "victory cannot fail to some to the Axis," but today's only reference to the future fortunes of war was:

"It is the last battle that brings victory."

Following is the full text broadcast by Rome:

"Officers, noncommissioned officers, Blackshirts:

"The militia which was created by the resolution of the grand council of the revolutionary union today celebrates in its own atmosphere its twentieth anniversary.

"It is in an atmosphere of iron, battle and decision in which at last men appear as they really are. From 1923 until today you have manifested in numberless battles by sacrifice and blood your love for Italy and your absolute devotion to fascism. You have remained true to your vocation.

"Superhuman" War

"In this war, the extent of which may be described as superhuman, the truth applies more than ever that the decision lies with him who is able to hold out a quarter-hour longer than the enemy, and that it is the last battle that brings victory.

"Only after 32 months of the hardest fighting has our chief enemy (Britain) managed to score a success.

The Italian people has received with virile, Roman calm the news of the enemy occupation of Libya, because the unshakable conviction wells in their hearts that we shall return to where we have been, we shall return there where our dead await us, and where we have left indestructible marks of our powerful civilization.

"As inflexible as the law of gravity is the political law of the gravitation of peoples, and the 50 million Italians have gravitated and will gravitate toward Africa, because they have a sacred right to live the same as, or perhaps more than, other people.

"Blackshirts, on this twentieth anniversary, we and our comrades of the Axis and of the tri-partite pact, reply to the mad, criminal propagandist mystification of Casablanca, that we shall never give up as long as we are able to grasp a weapon for combat.

"You will continue to march in the front ranks and will be a shining example ever and everywhere. I know you do not expect any other privilege."

War Plants Oust 30 Friends of Axis

Cleveland, Feb. 1 (INS).—Maj. G. J. Hales, commanding officer of the district offices of the Services of Supply, tonight announced that 30 enemy sympathizers have been removed from war plants in northern Ohio and Indiana.

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Refugees Pour Back Into Stalingrad, Far Behind Main Battle Lines, as Reds Roll On

By the Associated Press

Moscow, Feb. 1.—Hundreds of former inhabitants of Stalingrad were pouring back into the city today to set up life anew as the Red army rolled on in its winter offensives which have left this shattered town hundreds of miles from the main battle lines.

Two columns are moving steadily in this Volga city, one composed of hundreds of Germans who have capitulated or been captured and the other made up of former citizens of Stalingrad coming in by sledge, on horseback and afoot, Soviet accounts said.

Littered With Corpses

Many appalling sights were described. The sidewalks were littered with German corpses. There were broken houses, blasted factory chimneys and the shells of buildings.

Even so, these people, who had been living in caves, in the woods and elsewhere since the siege began were reported glad to be home.

Pravda, Communist Party newspaper, thus described a scene of capitulation in the dugout of a Soviet divisional commander, crowded with bewildered and despairing German officers of all ranks:

"Another delegation of Germans appears. They are representatives of the 297th division. The messengers said the general and his staff had accepted the terms of surrender.

"The Russian colonel received the messengers. The commander of the German division, Gen. Maurice von Drebber, asked where the place of surrender would be. He was told the name of a shattered schoolhouse.

"The German general entered it at 2 o'clock in the morning as firing ceased in his sector.

Where Are Regiments?

"'Where are your regiments?' asked the Russian colonel.

"The general smiled wryly.

"'It is no use to ask,' he said. 'You know that any soldier who remained alive surrendered before I gave my order.'

"Von Drebber asked the Red army colonel his age.

"'Thirty-five,' he was told.

"'So young, yet you've captured a gray-haired general,' he sighed. 'I think I must be the first general to surrender formally in Stalingrad.

(Von Drebber, however, was one of 15 German and Rumanian generals who were made prisoner, the Russians said, in addition to the army commander, Field Marshal Friedrich Paulus.)

"'I expect you won't be the last,' the Red army man said.

"Von Drebber explained that numerous generals wanted to surrender some time before, but that Hitler refused to allow them. Before long the telephone rang. A Rumanian division had surrendered its general. Von Drebber and his staff officers were put in an automobile and taken to the commander of the army. On the way they passed thousands of abandoned and wrecked pieces of German equipment.

"'Here it is—the shame of the German army,' a lieutenant said sadly. The gray-haired general nodded solemnly."

Toscanini Stabs At Mussolini In Music Concert

New York, Feb. 1 (AP).—Arturo Toscanini made another payment on the debt he owes Benito Mussolini yesterday with an all-Verdi program he broadcast to America and the world, using the NBC Symphony and several assisting artists.

The "payment" hinged on a change of words in Verdi's "Hymn of the Nations." As Arrigo Bolto wrote them they go: "Italia, Mia Patria." But as Toscanini changed them, the phrase is "Italia Tradita."

"Italy, My Country" thus becomes, "Italy Betrayed."

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There is no need to worry about the future life of anyone, according to Edwin J. Dingle, minister of the Church of The Holy Trinity in Los Angeles, whose revolutionary teaching has followers throughout the world.
"The mother whose sons are now in the armed forces need not worry about them," he declares. "No matter what those sons believe, nor how wayward they have been—even if they die in disbelief and error, they get anyother chance—a thousand more chances if need be. Everyone lives forever, God gives us opportunity again and again to reach perfection—if it takes a million years."
The amazing religion taught by this minister is called "Mystic Christianity." He teaches methods used by great mystics throughout the ages, men whose strange power has always puzzled investigators. In order to learn these methods he traveled widely, consulted great living mystics of the Orient, where he spent twenty-one years. He has been signally honored by geographical societies for his accomplishments. He attaches little importance to beliefs or creeds. Feeling, he says, is the important thing. Even true Faith is a feeling, and can accomplish wonders with almost any belief. Belief, without feeling, does nothing. Love and joy and reverence, all feelings, give a better understanding of God than words ever can. It is through feeling that men achieve power. A man's success, his personality, even his health, are often governed by the feelings, the moods, that dominate him. Feeling and Spirit are closely related.

He declares it is remarkable what changes can be brought into people's lives by the mystic methods which create these feelings, what power and influence people often have, what joy and success, peace and health. Almost unbelievable reports of accomplishment have been received from people throughout the world who have learned to use these unique methods.
A nine-thousand word treatise, revealing many startling results of the methods, is now being offered by The Institute of Mentalphysics, 213 South Hobart Blvd., Dept. F135, Los Angeles, Calif. They offer to send it free to any readers of this paper who quickly send their names and addresses. Readers are urged to write them promptly, as only a limited number of the free treatises have been printed.

President Recalls Flynn Nomination

Withdraws Selection as Minister, Facing Certain Defeat in Senate

By Arthur Hachten
International News Service Staff Writer

Faced by certain defeat in the Senate, President Roosevelt yesterday withdrew his nomination of Edward J. Flynn to be Minister to Australia. It was one of the greatest setbacks for the Chief Executive since he entered the White House 10 years ago.

Rarely in the history of the United States has a Presidential nomination of an Ambassador or Minister been rejected by the Senate, or withdrawn in the face of certain defeat. Traditionally, it was pointed out, the Presidents' appointments to the Diplomatic Corps have been approved by the Senate as a matter of course.

As the Senate was about to begin what promised to be one of the bitterest fights in history on the Flynn nomination, a one-sentence communication was received from the President. It said:

"I withdraw, at his request, the nomination of Edward J. Flynn of New York to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Australia, which was sent to the Senate January 11, 1943."

Phrase Added in Ink

The message was typewritten, except the phrase, "at his request," which was written by pen.

After the withdrawal letter was read to the Senate, Democratic Leader Barkley of Kentucky sought to insert in the Congressional Record a statement issued by Flynn last night, announcing his intention to ask the President to withdraw his nomination.

In that statement Flynn said he believed his nomination could be confirmed, but that he was unwilling to permit his candidacy to be made "the excuse for partisan political debate in the Senate."

Instantly after Barkley made his request, Senator Vandenberg (Republican) of Michigan, a leader of the opposition to confirmation of Flynn, served notice he would object, unless permitted to express his views on Flynn's statements—"in parallel columns."

Barkley then withdrew his request. Thus ended the Flynn fight in the Senate.

Letters Released

Meanwhile, the White House made public an exchange of letters between the President and Flynn. The latter wrote:

"My dear Mr. President:

"I am requesting you to withdraw my nomination as Minister to Australia from the Senate. I am inclosing herewith a statement which I have issued which sets forth fully my reasons for asking you to take this action.

"I can't let this opportunity pass without telling you how thrilled I am and the whole country is at your brave and successful trip to Africa. It is a source of great comfort to all lovers of freedom throughout the whole world that you have returned safely.

"With cordial best wishes, very sincerely yours,

"EDWARD J. FLYNN."

The President replied:

"Dear Ed.:

"Reluctantly I am complying with your request and have withdrawn your nomination from the Senate.

"I wish you could come to see me today or tomorrow.

"As ever yours,

"FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVLT."

Basis of Opposition

The reasons of Senators for opposing confirmation of Flynn covered a wide range; that he was not qualified by experience for the major post of Minister to Australia, and that the series of charges leveled against him did not make a good foundation for an envoy extraordinary.

Senator Bridges (Republican) of New Hampshire who had led the Republican attack on the Bronx political leader, termed Flynn's withdrawal action "a victory for integrity in government and decency in American diplomacy." Senator Chandler (Democrat) of Kentucky, a Flynn supporter, commented that the nominee had been "made the victim of a lot of people who were shooting at someone else"—the President."

With Flynn's nomination out of the way speculation began over whom the President will name for the post. Joseph C. Grew, long-time Ambassador to Japan and close student of the Oriental political situation, was frequently mentioned in Senate circles.

Nelson T. Johnson, at present Minister to Australia and for many years envoy to China, was reported by the White House at the time President Roosevelt nominated Flynn, as being desirous of retiring.

Flynn told reporters today that he was not ready to announce his plans for the future. After his nomination was sent to the Senate he resigned as chairman of the Democratic National Committee, as Democratic National Committeeman for New York, and as leader of the Democratic organization in the Bronx, New York.

New York, Feb. 1. (AP).—Wendell Willkie said today that Edward J. Flynn's decision to ask withdrawal of his name as minister to Australia would "help to reduce the arrogance of political machines."

"The Senators, Republican and Democratic, who made the fight are to be congratulated," Willkie said. "In addition to all else it will help to reduce the arrogance of political machines."

From Tokyo to Matrimony

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

THEY MET IN WASHINGTON—Lieut. Charles L. McClure, one of the American fliers who bombed Tokyo last April 18, and the former Miss Betty Jean Buchanan were married yesterday in Appleton, Wis., the bride's home. They met at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, where the bride was a therapist and the flier was recovering from injuries suffered in landing after the raid. His next assignment is as a navigation instructor at Mather Field, Sacramento, Calif.

African War Theater Shaping With Eisenhower in Command

By Wes Gallagher
Associated Press Staff Writer

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Feb. 1.—With the British Eighth Army already in Tunisia and on the verge of joining Allied forces driving against the Germans from the west, the time appeared near today when the Mediterranean must be merged into one vast Allied war theater under a single command and United States Lieut. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower seems likely to head the show.

The recent war conference here attended by Gen. Sir Harold Alexander, British commander in the Middle East, was taken as an indication in most quarters that General Eisenhower is slated to be commander in chief of the Mediterranean with Alexander in command of all land forces.

Eisenhower is the only man the Allies have who has had experience in directing mixed commands on a large scale, and it was understood that both President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill are satisfied with his work.

Most prominently mentioned for the air post is Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder, commander of the R. A. F., in the Middle East, who directed the first breaking of the German air power on a battlefield.

To all practical purposes, British Admiral of the Fleet Sir Andrew Cunningham already is running most of the naval warfare.

Maj. Gen. Carl Spaatz, commander of the Allied air forces in North Africa, would be under Tedder, commanding both the R. A. F. and American air forces in North Africa, while Air Chief Marshal Sir William Douglas, commander of British air forces in the Middle East, would be in command of the American air forces and R. A. F. in the Middle East.

On land, Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery is understood in most circles to be first choice for commander of the Middle East ground forces. Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark is the most likely American choice for the North Africa section.

A third element enters the North African picture with the formation of a large French army which certainly would be included under Alexander's command, but which would be largely of separate identity.

Should this reorganization be carried through, Eisenhower—a lieutenant general—would be in the position of commanding at least five men his senior in rank.

Under these circumstances it appears extremely likely that Eisenhower would be promoted to a full general.

Roosevelt's Message Brought by Churchill

London (Tuesday) Feb. 2 (AP).—Reuters quoted a Turkish news agency dispatch today as saying that Prime Minister Churchill gave President Inonu of Turkey a message of greetings from President Roosevelt during their recent meeting at Adana.

Giraud Seen As Working Toward Unity

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London, Feb. 1.—Gen. Henri Giraud is taking active measures to strengthen his French North African administration, by cooperation with Gen. Charles de Gaulle, leader of the Fighting French, according to diplomatic reports reaching London tonight.

Contrary to previous reports that Giraud had adopted an uncompromising attitude toward the Fighting French, it is stated that he is giving "tangible evidence of a wholehearted effort to improve the atmosphere."

Recently, according to reports, he had a long conference with Rene Capitant, a member of Premier Leon Blum's Socialistic brain trust, in the days of the Popular Front government in France. Capitant is now regarded as the chief representative of the De-Gaullist movement in Algeria.

At this conference agreement on several outstanding issues was reached, and Capitant is expected to fly to London soon to explain Giraud's ideas to de Gaulle.

Giraud's conciliatory attitude was also seen in his nomination of Professor Louis Joxe, to be in charge of press and propaganda in Tunisia. Joxe is known as a partisan of De Gaulle.

Another measure toward conciliation is the reported squashing of the charges against D'Astier de Vigerie, a brother of De Gaulle's second in command in London, who was arrested in connection with the assassination of Admiral Jean Francois Darlan.

French Execute 11 'Chutist Spies In North Africa

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Feb. 1 (AP).—The French announced today that 11 Axis parachutist spies—including 5 Germans, 3 Frenchmen and 3 Arabs—had been publicly executed at Biskra, Algeria.

Two other Arabs were executed at Bordj-Bou-Arreridy for aiding the parachutists, all of whom were wearing civilian clothes when captured, the announcement said.

A crowd of about 1500 was said to have witnessed the Biskra executions before a firing squad.

Men 'Known for Devotion to Axis' Retain Key Africa Posts, Fighting French Charge

By the Associated Press

Fighting French headquarters here last night made public letters from North Africa alleging that the French civil administration there is being packed with "men known for their devotion to the Axis," that "all the military communications are controlled by the friends of the Axis" and that friends of the Allied cause still are held in concentration camps or otherwise persecuted.

The letters were dated January 3 and 4, but Jean Baube, the headquarters spokesman, said later reports indicated the situation had become still worse in recent weeks.

He appealed to the American public to press for fulfillment of President Roosevelt's request of last November that anti-Axis political prisoners be released and Nazi-inspired laws be abrogated.

Baube added that the situation is so bad that many people who have been helping the Allied cause "are beginning to feel they were suckers."

The identity of the writers of the letters is being witheld, he said, "because they still are in North Africa."

One of the letters, alleging that "normal" Vichy methods and policies were resumed soon after the American landings November 8, described the situation in January as follows:

"The same men are in charge of the censorship, the radio, the police and general administration, etc. The control of the telephone and vital Algerian posts remains in the hands of the people selected and placed in these posts by the German and Italian armistice commissions. All the military communications are controlled by the friends of the Axis.

"Most of the Algerian advisers of Mr. (Robert) Murphy, the representative of President Roosevelt, are former supporters of the Axis. The high commissioner's office and the prefecture can continue the Vichy policy with impunity, encouraging acts of insubordination and of resistance by military and civilian personnel. The mobilization of the French Army is being sabotaged.

"The natives are subject to a public propaganda inciting them to refuse to carry arms for the Allies under the pretext that the Allies are starving them, violating their wives, and will one day be thrown out by the liberating Germans.

"At Oran General Boisseau—the very man who ordered the troops to fire on the Allies on November 8—is ruling in company with Prefect Boujard, posting in every staff and in all the Anglo-American military services men known for their devotion to the Axis, under the guise of interpreters, secretaries, phone operators, drivers, etc.

"The labor unionists who are trying to rebuild their unions are tracked down 'as in the good old days,' and their leaders are kept in prison.

Allied authorities refuse to 'intervene in French internal politics.' They refuse to intervene to stop the interment—decreed after November 8—of Democrats and pro-Allies guilty of having manifested their wish to see De Gaulle (Gen. Charles de Gaulle, the Fighting French leader) come here, and of having publicly affirmed their feelings. The native Jews are mobilized in separate units in labor camps at Cheragam and are sent to build roads.

Jews Not Reinstated

"All the French and foreign political internees remain in concentration camps and the Communist deputies are still locked up . . ."

The letter also charged that "no official, railway man, mailman, teacher or employe of the public utilities who had been dismissed (by Vichy authorities) for his political activity, his philosophy or his racial origin, has been reinstated. Not a single physician, dentist, lawyer, newspaperman or judge who had been dismissed under racial decrees and decrees on secret societies has been reinstated. Jewish children are still refused access to ordinary schools, and young Jewish students cannot enter the universities."

Colonel Lauds U. S.-Japanese Army Battalion

There's a whole battalion of Japanese soldiers in the United States Army and "I've never had more wholehearted, serious-minded cooperation from any troops," their commanding officer, Lieut. Col. Farrant L. Turner said yesterday.

The outfit is the 100th Infantry Battalion made up entirely of men of Japanese ancestry who are United States citizens and were born in the Hawaiian Islands. Many of their officers also are of Japanese ancestry.

Organized originally as a unit of the Hawaiian National Guard the men of the battalion, although not stationed at Pearl Harbor when war started, lost many relatives and friends there.

Col. Waller Named General; First From Marine Reserve

President Roosevelt yesterday nominated Littleton W. T. Waller, jr., a reserve colonel in the Marine Corps, to be a brigadier general.

A Washingtonian, he would be the first reserve officer ever raised to general's rank in the corps.

A hero of the first World War, in which he participated in five major operations as a member of a Marine machine-gun battalion of the Second Division, Waller holds two Croix de Guerre among many decorations awarded to him.

In 1925, while holding the rank of major, Waller resigned his regular marine commission and was given a commission in the reserve. He returned to active duty in 1941 and is now the headquarters officer in charge of Marine Corps target practice.

Col. Lewie G. Merritt, Coronado, Calif., also was nominated to be a Marine brigadier general.

Colonel Waller was born on September 18, 1886, in Norfolk, Va., a son of the late Major General Waller, U. S. M. C., and was appointed a second lieutenant of Marines on October 16, 1907.

From 1908 to 1910 he was stationed with the American Legation Guard in Peping, China. He served, in 1914, with the Marine Brigade at the taking of Vera Cruz. Sea duty followed.

Promotion to a captaincy came in 1917, and to a temporary majority while serving with the A. E. F. He was in five major operations in France. The battalion with which he served was cited for its conduct at Belleau Wood.

Weller twice was cited in French army orders for conspicuous bravery. His awards included the Croix de Guerre with Gilt Star and Palm and Diplomas. He was made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

His medals include the Navy Cross, the Purple Heart, the Mexican Service Medal and the Victory Medal with Five Stars. His residence is the Shoreham Hotel.

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Court's Ruling

Stock-Buying By Directors Held Proper

The Supreme Court in a 4-to-3 decision yesterday upheld the propriety of corporation directors buying their company's stock in the open market while reorganization was under way.

Justice Frankfurter, in the majority opinion, supported the argument of Attorney Spencer Gordon that such purchases were to be viewed as evidences of good faith, rather than to be made the object of suspicion.

The question came to the high court from a decision of the Securities and Exchange Commission, having been raised in the reorganization of the Federal Water Service Corp. in 1937.

This was a utility holding company having shares in gas, water, electricity and other utility enterprises in 13 States. While the reorganization was in progress the Chenery Corp., a "family" company, and several Federal directors bought a total of 11,600 shares of Federal preferred stock. The SEC later ordered these purchases excluded from the reorganization benefits allowed stockholders generally.

Justice Frankfurter pointed out that the SEC found no evidence of fraud; that the directors bought on the open market at the public market price, and that they had no inside information, and concluded that "honesty, full disclosure and purchase at a fair price characterized the transactions."

The justice added that neither Congress, the courts nor the SEC had barred such purchases, but added that if there had been such a rule, the case might have been different.

The Supreme Court upheld a ruling of last April by the United States Court of Appeals here, which ordered the directors to be given the same rights as other stockholders.

Justice Black, in a dissenting opinion, said the minority felt that the SEC acted within its discretion in making the order against the directors.

Treasury Officials Due to Appear As Hearings Start

By Edward Ryan
Post Staff Writer

Congress today is scheduled to begin exploring new proposals, including the Ruml plan, for a pay-as-you-go system of collecting Federal income taxes.

House Ways and Means Committee members will hear testimony of Treasury officials in an open meeting in the New House Office Building, the first of a series of sessions expected to run at least two weeks.

At stake in the studies is the question of how the great majority of an estimated 35 million citizens this year will turn over their tax dollars to the Federal Treasury.

Also before the committee will be the question, raised by the Ruml plan, of whether the taxes which are going to be collected this year shall go down in the Federal ledgers as payments on 1942 income—the result of present law—or as current collections against this year's income.

Ruml's Suggestion

Beardsley Ruml, author of the plan and chairman of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, would have this year's collections legally declared to be payments on this year's income. As a result, taxpayers would pay this year exactly what they expect to pay under present law. But their dollars would be considered payment against their current income, rather than settlement of their "tax debt" on last year's income.

Administration witnesses, headed by Randolph Paul, general counsel of the Treasury, are expected to follow the lead of President Roosevelt in opposing any cancellation of the 1942 tax liability.

Ruml, whose plan is formally proposed in a bill by Representative Carlson (Republican) of Kansas, a Ways and Means member, will appear before the committee Thursday.

Philip Murray, CIO president, who has attacked the Ruml plan as offering "windfalls" for those of large incomes, is scheduled to be heard tomorrow, or to voice his views through a representative.

Meanwhile, Ruml moved to answer the "windfall" criticism by adding several refinements to his tax plan to take care of such cases.

Windfall Case

A windfall case, Ruml explained yesterday at a meeting of the Chicago Association of Commerce, is one where income for 1942 was much greater than for the year that preceded or for 1943 which followed.

To catch these cases in the tax net, Ruml suggested the Treasury Department should not cancel the income tax on capital gains, should provide a special death tax to recover what might be considered "windfall" arising because of death, and in all cases where claim for credit exceeds $10,000, or some suitable amount, take an average of 1941, 1942 and 1943.

Ruml, the Associated Press reported, said, "we should not refuse to do good for millions simply because we will be doing too much good for a few that don't deserve it.

Ruml said 1943 was a good time to put income taxes on a pay-as-you-go basis because individual taxpayers have not accrued any substantial portion of their 1942 tax payments.

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"Of course it doesn't taste like your mother used to serve! —In her day she could get it out of cans!

Doctors Lose High Court Fight On Conn. Birth-Control Law

By William R. Spear
Associated Press Staff Writer

The Supreme Court ruled yesterday that physicians had no legal ground to challenge Connecticut's anticontraceptive law, against which birth control advocates have long campaigned.

However, the high tribunal left the door open for patients to test the law by bringing cases in their own behalf.

The law forbids physicians to advise or prescribe the use of contraceptives even when they conclude that a woman's life would be endangered by child-bearing.

Doctors Attacked Law

Dr. Wilder Tileston of New Haven, a Yale medical professor and practicing physician joined by 541 Connecticut colleagues and 166 doctors from other States, sought to overthrow the law on the ground that it violated the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution. This amendment, adopted after the Civil War, provides that "no State shall . . . deprive any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law." They emphasized the alleged deprivation of life.

Without deciding whether the Connecticut law actually does deprive persons of life without due process, the Supreme Court said in a brief order of dismissal that the physicians had no legal standing to raise the question because it was not their lives but those of their patients which were involved.

Dr. Tileston's "patients are not parties to this proceeding," the court noted, "and there is no basis on which we can say that he has standing to secure an adjudication of his patients' constitutional right to life, which they do not assert in their own behalf."

Wage-Hour Decision

In a new decision on the wage-hour law, the Supreme Court held, 6 to 2, that the act applied to workers engaged in maintaining and operating a toll road and bridge connecting Fort George Island near Jacksonville with the Florida mainland. The decision was based on the ground that the workers were engaged in interstate commerce. It was brought out that the road and bridge were the island's only connection with the rest of the country.

Other Actions by Court

Among other actions yesterday, the court:

Refused to review a decision holding that employes of a Chicago company engaged in preparing advertising copy for Illinois and Indiana newspapers are not subject to the wage-hour law.

Explaining that the law provides a person may be ordered fined or imprisoned by a Federal judge for contempt, held in a 7-1 opinion by Justice Roberts that if both a fine and imprisonment are erroneously imposed, payment of the fine relieves the defendant from serving the sentence.

Ruled unanimously that a seaman may recover for personal injuries received on land in connection with his work, under a 1920 statute giving seamen the right to sue in Federal court for injuries received "in the course of" their employment.

Granted the Justice Department review of a decision denying a Government motion to vacate a consent decree and dismiss antitrust charges brought against the Radio Corporation of America, General Electric Co. and others.

Upheld an Interstate Commerce Commission order denying a permit for continued operation to Ziffrin, Inc., Indianapolis truck transportation company.

Agreed to review a decision holding constitutional a Struthers, Ohio, municipal ordinance making it unlawful for any person distributing handbills, circulars or other advertisement "to ring the doorbell, sound the doorknocker or otherwise summon" the inhabitants of the residence to receive the literature.

Sumners Warns Against Trend To Bureau Rule

By the Associated Press

New York, Feb. 1.—Representative Hatton W. Sumners of Texas declared today in an interview in the New York Sun that "when you begin thinking it becomes so clear that we have been traveling away from representative democracy toward centralized bureaucracy."

The Democratic chairman of the House Judiciary Committee asserted that while Americans were fighting abroad for democracy's principles there were unmistakable signs that Americans back home were reawakening to peril to democratic government right in the United States.

"You can't see your sons and brothers go out to risk their lives for a set of principles," Sumners said, "without some impetus to think about where we ourselves are headed in relation to those principles.

Traveling Away

"And when you begin thinking it becomes so clear that we have been traveling away from representative democracy toward centralized bureaucracy. We have been tapping the sources of State revenue and sending the revenue to Washington. Then Washington has been sending it back to the States—loaded down with Federal power.

"That's the trick by which we are destroying our democracy. Thank God the people are beginning again to look at the labels on the handouts.

that our democracy may be de-

"Do I think there is real danger stroyed by our own acts? I don't think it. I know it. It is axiomatic that whoever controls the purse-strings controls the Government."

Sumners has been a frequent critic of the Administration and was among the Southern Democrats who led the opposition to appointment of Representative Marcantonio, the sole American-Labor member, to the Judiciary Committee he heads. The Texan also opposed President Roosevelt's 1937 recommendation that new members be added to the Supreme Court if justices over 70 failed to retire.

Powers of King

Mentioning that about 2,500,000 appointees drawing salaries totaling around five billion dollars annually were connected with the United States Government, he declared:

"Many appointees have the power to make rules that have the force of law. They have the power to construe the rules and to enforce them. Those are all the powers any king ever did have.

"The problem is so fundamental and so simple—it is remarkable to me everyone can't see it. We can't go in two opposite directions at the same time.

"Either we decentralize government or we have to make up our minds to be governed by the kind of government we are supposed to be opposed to.

"The law of cause and effect applies to government as to everything else. We can't do the things that inevitably cause the destruction of democracy and then expect democracy to continue."

Remember Fuel Situation, Old Boy

GROUNDHOG DAY, to be sure!

Nash Asks Stab At Nips Moment Nazis Give Up

By the Associated Press

New York, Feb. 1.—Walter Nash, New Zealand Minister to the United States, said today that New Zealanders realize there should be no lessening of concentration of armed power against Germany, but want a knock-out blow against Japan to begin "the minute the Germans are defeated."

Nash said at an "Australia-New Zealand Day" program at Town Hall:

"We realize in New Zealand that at the present moment a great part of the United Nations' striking power must be concentrated against the Germans. We have our own expeditionary force in North Africa contributing to that striking power.

"We do not want this weakened in any way that is unnecessary, but we do urge a maximum effort against the Japanese also, and that the minute the Germans are defeated there shall be no dilatoriness in the waging of the remaining struggle against Japan."

Sir Owen Dixon, Australian Minister to the United States, another speaker, said that nearly 1 per cent of Australia's seven million population was in the armed forces.

Court Fires Queries At Viereck Counsel

Seven Justices of High Tribunal Greet Appeal With Sharp and Critical Questions

Seven Supreme Court Justices met the appeal of the German agent, George Sylvester Viereck, with sharp and critical questions yesterday.

Viereck got two to six years in prison for violating the Foreign Agents Act and went to the high court after the sentence was affirmed by the United States Court of Appeals here.

A German agent in this country in World War I, Viereck won international celebrity as a novelist in the twenties. When Hitler seized power, Viereck became an active Nazi propagandist. Late in 1939 he registered as a German agent.

Until the war, Viereck busied himself forming and directing a string of isolationist committees, running an anti-British publishing house, planting pro-Nazi material in the Congressional Record and having it mailed out under frank, and otherwise serving the Nazi cause.

Court Becomes Curious

But when required to give a "comprehensive statement of the nature of his business," the German agent concealed these activities in the phrase, "author and journalist."

Viereck's attorney, Col. O. R. McGuire, told the court yesterday that this was a complete answer, that Viereck did his agitation on his own time and not for pay, for the Nazis.

The court was curious about this, asking:

Chief Justice Stone—"Do you claim the Secretary of State had no authority to ask him about anything he did unless he did it for a foreign principal?"

Justice Douglas—"If a man worked for a foreign principal under contract for, say, eight hours a day, and agitated along the same lines at night, do you claim he would not have to report the night work?"

Justice Murphy—"You say the money he spent on these activities charged by the Government was his own. Suppose a foreign agent spent what money he happened to have for sabotage, would he have to report it?"

Justice Black—"These speeches he wrote for Senator Lundeen, on his own time, as you say; did they not express the German point of view in the same manner as what he wrote as an agent?"

Justice Frankfurter—"Could not the jury have found that Mr. Viereck did all that was charged in the indictment as the agent of the foreign power?"

Read from Viereck's Book

Once Justice Douglas remarked that "it's pretty hard to tell where the activities of a foreign agent stop."

Assistant Attorney General Wendell Berge, chief of the criminal division of the Department of Justice, began his reply late in the afternoon. Berge told the court that Viereck had been a German propagandist for 25 years.

From Viereck's book, "Spreading the Germs of Hate," Berge read the Nazi agent's formula for deceiving the American public and his boast that Congressmen and notables were his unwitting tools in World War I

The justices questioned Berge, too, at length about the Government's understanding of the Foreign Agents Act, under which Viereck was convicted.

The argument will conclude today, but the decision probably will not come for several weeks. Meanwhile, Viereck is held in the District Jail.

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The Day in Congress

TODAY

Senate

Not in session; meets at noon Thursday.

Committees: Appropriations subcommittee, executive, manpower hearing; Education and Labor subcommittee, executive, vocational rehabilitation bill; Education and Labor, executive, manpower, investigating of NHA branches and vocational rehabilitation bill; special wool committee, executive, to organize.

House

Meets at noon.

Committees: Appropriations, executive, Treasury-Postoffice bill; Naval Affairs, executive, to hear General Holcomb and General Vandergrift; Interstate, open, on amending Civil Aeronautics Act; Military Affairs, open, educational program; Foreign Affairs open, new lend-lease bill; World War Veterans, open, hospitalization; Ways and Means, open, pay-as-you-go tax proposals.

YESTERDAY

Senate

Received withdrawal of Flynn nomination.

Received treaty with China withdrawing United States extraterritorial rights.

Received Walsh bill to provide vocational rehabilitation program for disabled war veterans.

Received Walsh bill to extend old-age insurance benefits.

Received bill for creation of Civilian Office of War Mobilization.

Heard birthday tributes to Senator Caraway.

Approved, 46 to 31, Josh Lee nomination to CAB.

Adjourned at 1:40.

House

Heard Representative Dies assail congressional critics.

Received Dirksen bill for extension of amended Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act.

Adjourned at 4:57.

Job Priority Plan Started by WMC

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in deciding deferment questions.

The priority list would establish employment policy in all labor shortage areas, with the United States Employment Service, private employment agencies, war contractors' personnel offices and union hiring halls expected to follow that policy.

Jobs in the first class would be filled exclusively through the United States Employment Service. Jobs in other classes may be filled either through the USES or through private agencies which would be supervised by WMC officials.

As a step toward putting this policy into effect, WMC has arranged with the War Production Board to secure industrial priorities information to convert into labor priorities. Responsibility for supplying this information would be with the group now known as the WPB labor requirements committee.

The Labor requiremnts committee, which has been responsible to WPB Vice Chairman Ferdinand Eberstadt, has never defined precisely its relationship with WMC, and some officials feared that it was invading commission operations sphere. It is understood that the new arrangement is satisfactory to both WPB and WMC.

Meanwhile, indications appeared that WMC would intensify efforts to combat absenteeism as Deputy Chairman Fowler V. Harper announced the text of a program to reduce absenteeism in the lumber industry, which was developed at a recent Western lumber management conference.

The program provides for steps to remove causes of absenteeism found to be beyond the control of individual employes and to provide in cases of wilful absenteeism for "persuasion, exposure and, as a last resort, a report to the area manpower committee, which may decide to report the fact to the absentee's local Selective Service board for possible reclassification."

Yank Fliers Raid Bases in Solomons

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vancing American troops killed 62 more Japs and took 22 prisoners, January 28, it was said.

Recent Nipponese raids on Guadalcanal have caused little or no damage, due to the extensive anti-aircraft batteries and the strong fighter plane protection now on the island.

Text of the Navy communique, No. 267, follows:

"South Pacific (All dates are East Longitude.)

"1. On January 28, United States troops on Guadalcanal Island killed 62 Japanese and took 22 prisoners.

2. On January 29:

"(a) During the early afternoon, a force of Marauder medium bombers (Martin B-26) attacked enemy positions on Kolombangara Island.

"(b) During the evening, Marauders bombed the enemy-held area at Munda on New Georgia Island.

(c) Japanese planes bombed U. S. positions on Guadalcanal Island. One enemy plane was shot down.

"3. On January 30, during the morning, a force of Marauder medium bombers, with Airacobra escort (Bell P-39), bombed enemy positions at Munda on New Georgia Island."

Ex-Congressman Gets OPA Post

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lette of Iowa, and Scott Lucas of Illinois, the only Democrats, and the fourteenth place held by Progressive Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin.

Veteran political observers expected the formal announcement of McKeough's appointment to create somewhat of a political tempest with the Republican Senators involved voicing objections to the appointment of a "lame duck" to preside over their States with respect to price control and rationing.

The appointment undoubtedly will be viewed as a significant straw in the wind with respect to Brown's personnel policies. It would be among his first major appointments and would come at a time when Brown is making plans to place increased responsibility to establish price control and rationing policies with regional directors.

Brown, in accepting Weigel's resignation, praised his administration of the Chicago office. His letter follows.

"I have your resignation, and I accept it with regret. We have not had an opportunity to know each other personally, but I have inquired into the structure for administration which you in large part created, and the character of the personnel which you helped to recruit. Chicago was our first regional office, and you have every reason to be proud, as I am proud, of the contribution which you and your staff have made in the Nation's war effort.

"On behalf of the entire organization, I wish to thank you for what you have done and to wish you every success and happiness for the future."

Removal of U. S. Projects in Canada Provided in Pact

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 1 (AP).—A permanent formula for the post-war liquidation of defense projects constructed in Canada by the United States is provided in an exchange of notes between the governments of the two countries, presented in the House of Commons today by Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

The formula decrees that all immovable assets of the United States are to be released within one year after the end of the war to the Canadian government or the Provincial government. All movable assets must be removed from Canada within one year or offered for sale to the government. The price would be fixed by two appraisers, one chosen by each country, with power to select a third in case of disagreement.

If movable assets are not removed or sold to the Crown within one year, the formula sets forth, they must be offered for sale on the open market. If they cannot be sold, their disposition is to be referred to the permanent joint defense board.

Man Suffers Head Injury With Ax

Charles K. McDowell, 47, of 4414 Broad Branch Road Northwest, a lumberman, was admitted to Emergency Hospital yesterday suffering from a possible skull fracture as the result of having accidentally hit himself with an ax while splitting kindling. He said as he swung the ax, it tangled with a clothes line overhead, resulting in the blow to his head.

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FWA Ends Best Year In Its History

The Federal Works Agency has completed its best year and spent less money doing it than in any year since the agency's conception in 1939. This was announced yesterday by Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, administrator, in his annual report.

Among the jobs undertaken was the construction of the Alcan Highway across Canada to Alaska and the building of flight strips along highways for the emergency use of military planes.

Other work was the building of temporary office buildings and dormitories in Washington for housing the vastly expanded Government activities and increased Government personnel in the city, the report showed.

WPA Nears End

The WPA approached liquidation as it threw half of its resources into war work and curtailed other operations and reduced its rolls. Included among the roads undertaken by the agency was the construction of the Trans-Isthmusian Highway at the Panama Canal, a road greatly needed by the Army.

Also some work was done on the construction of the Pan-American Highway which eventually will connect the United States with the Panama Canal. The building program was composed, preponderantly, of two-story, temporary buildings of wood or masonry and so designed as to use the minimum of critical materials, the report said.

The report showed there were on the rolls of the WPA a total of 697,701 persons in June, 1942, the end of the fiscal year, as compared with 3,334,594 in the peak month of November of 1938.

Many Still on Rolls

A report filed in the latter part of January showed a quarter of a million still remaining on the rolls but, with the plan to halt appropriations for the agency, its death knell is scheduled to sound in June.

The WPA in the District and 16 States was scheduled to end yesterday. More will close on February 15 and still others on March 1 with practically all, with exception of some administrative work, to end in April.

The FWA report said that a bank of work projects had been built up which could be dusted off after the end of the war and used to bridge the unemployment gap that is anticipated when war industries shut down and convert to peacetime work.

Photographers' Queen

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

RED-HEADED WOMAN—Cindy Mathewson, 21-year-old model, has been chosen queen of the annual New York Press Photographers' ball to be held February 5. She was born near Waterloo, Iowa, and taught school in San Diego, Calif., before crashing New York

Junior Red Cross Starts Three-Day Conference Here

A great increase in the production of articles for men in the armed services who are hospitalized was urged by representatives of the Junior Red Cross meeting yesterday at Eastern Area Red Cross headquarters at the opening of a three-day conference.

Several hundred such articles, contributed by chapter representatives, were on display.

Two speakers are scheduled for today, James T. Nicholson, vice chairman in charge of the Junior Red Cross, and Livingston Blair, national director of the organization. Seventy-five delegates from chapters in 16 States and the District are attending.

Canadian Warns On War Optimism

Boston, Feb. 1 (AP).—"The spirit of optimism abroad, looking to an early end of the war, is quite unwarranted," Clarence D. Howe, Canadian Minister of Munitions and Supply, declared today.

Commencement speaker at Massachusetts Institute of Technology's seventy-sixth graduation exercises, Howe urged the 338 graduates, many of whom soon will be in the armed services, "not to think of a quick and easy victory, but to settle down to a long, hard struggle"

G. L. Hottel Named Agent in Charge Of FBI Unit Here

Guy L. Hottel, administrative assistant of the Federal Bureau of Investigation here, has been named special agent in charge of the Washington field office of the bureau, Director J. Edgar Hoover announced yesterday.

Hottel, who entered the bureau in 1934, replaces Samuel E. McKee, who has been transferred to the Newark, N. J., branch to supplant Edward E. Conroy, now in charge of the New York City office of the FBI.

Conroy succeeds P. E. Foxworth, who lost his life January 15 in a plane crash in Dutch Guiana.

Rubber Priorities Set by Mexico

Priorities for the supply of crude rubber among the rubber manufacturing industries of Mexico have been fixed by decree with indispensable articles for the Army and Navy and medicinal and surgical services included among those given the highest rating, according to the Department of Commerce.

The Ministry of Economy, upon recommendation of the National Rubber Commission, will determine the distribution of rubber manufactures among individuals and business firms.

Labor Lack Keeps Ford Bomber Plant Below Capacity

Labor shortages have been instrumental in delaying capacity output at the Ford Motor Co.'s gigantic bomber plant at Willow Run, 30 miles west of Detroit, the War Production Board says.

Declaring that there had been "many disappointments" concerning the Willow Run operations and that the plant is now "far from peak production," the WPB said:

"The plant is finding it difficult to get competent workers—and to hold those they hire. The tooling job has proved to be more efficient than is generally believed—even in Detroit—and not more than half of the number of workers at first thought necessary will be required. But virtually all of the newcomers require training."

WPB said about 10,000 workers at Willow Run are women.

"Discussions about the reasons for the lag (at Willow Run) have been many," said the report, released by the Office of War Information. "But bombers are being turned out, and production is increasing."

Flynn Counsel Is Questioned; Defense Rests

By the Associated Press

Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—Errol Flynn's defense against charges of two young girls that he raped them was completed today. Final arguments will begin tomorrow.

Chief Defense Counsel Jerry Giesler rested the case after questioning the final sur-rebuttal witness, his co-counsel, Robert E. Ford. The Flynn lawyers discussed the highly controversial lock that Betty Hansen, young Lincoln, Nebr., waitress claims she heard Flynn click on the bedroom door before, she alleges, he raped her.

Ford said he went to the home of Fred McEvoy, British sportsman, January 23 to examine the lock for the first time. He said it spun around when he tried to lock it. He said he noticed Giesler and that Giesler also tried it with about the same result.

The courtroom looked like a locksmith shops today.

Lawyers and witnesses sawed on bronze shafts and locksmiths testified about the lock on a cream-colored door in McEvoy's blue bedroom.

Witnesses for Flynn testified the lock never worked. The prosecution intimated it had been tampered with.

Flynn also is accused of statutory rape against Peggy La Rue Satterlee, 17-year-old showgirl.

Sabotage Wrecks Pretoria Factory

Pretoria, Union of South Africa, Feb. 1 (AP).—A series of explosions shook Pretoria and Witwatersrand during the weekend in an outbreak of sabotage directed mainly against war industries. Damage was not extensive.

A factory was partly destroyed and some telephone cables were wrecked by the blasts.

Black Market In Meat Laid To U. S. Delays

California congressmen asserted yesterday Federal agencies controlling the Nation's meat supplies were to blame for black markets and bootlegging and urged that Congress act immediately to correct the situation.

Predicting walkouts in West Coast war plants if meat was not made available quickly, Representative Elliott (Democrat) of California told the House that workers in war industries there had been without meat for weeks.

"We should move in force to correct this situation and not wait for a bunch of boys to push their pencils around," he warned.

Following two weeks of conferences with representatives of the Departments of Agriculture, Price Administration, Lend-Lease Administration and the Army Quartermaster Corps, the California committee investigating meat shortages told Congress Federal officials had failed to assure them meat shortages would be corrected prior to April when a meat rationing program is expected to become effective.

Federal agencies handling the problem, Elliott said, "want to wait until April and in the meantime push their pencils around and set up more red tape instead of approaching the problem on a business basis. By their methods they are forcing businessmen to become crooks in order that they may continue to operate their business concerns."

During more than an hour's debate on the floor, almost the entire California delegation denounced repeated delays of Federal officials in finding a solution to the meat crises in their State.

Public Aid in Suppressing Federal Check Racket Asked

The secret service appealed to the public yesterday for aid in suppressing a racket which thrived during WPA days—the theft and forging of Government checks.

Issuance of thousands of Government allowance and allotment checks to dependents of servicemen, officials warned, may provide a lucrative field for the unscrupulous unless the public is on guard.

The secret service has undertaken a Nation-wide educational campaign ith the slogan—"know your indorsers."

Merchants, bankers and others are urged to demand positive identification of every person who presents a Government check to be cashed.

In addition, persons entitled to the checks are being urged to take every precaution against their mail being pilfered or the checks otherwise falling into unauthorized hands.

The theft and forging of Government checks developed and flourished during the years the Government was mailing millions of checks to persons on relief and to farmers for participating in the agricultural conservation program.

In 1940, the Secret Service investigated 21,000 foregeries involving Government checks, but with the falling off of WPA activities and the abolition of that agency recently by presidential order, pilfering of Government checks has been sharply reduced, the Secret Service said.

Last year only 12,000 forgeries were investigated.

Officials said that criminals engaged in the racket in many cases were professional forgers who followed mailmen around and pilfered the checks from mail boxes. They then would forge signatures on the checks and cash them at local stores and banks.

Rachmaninoff Becomes Citizen

New York, Feb. 1 (AP).—Sergei Rachmaninoff, composer and concert pianist, and his wife, Natalie, became naturalized American citizens in Federal Court today.

"I am very happy to become a United States citizen in this land of opportunity and equality," the 69-year-old Russian-born artist said. Both he and his wife were born in Novgorod, but have made their home in the United States since 1918. They were naturalized in a group of 220.

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THE MEN'S STORE, SECOND FLOOR

Army Wants Seven Million Cars Seized

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mated 27 million passenger autos operating in the Nation), including three million vehicles owned by families in the two-or-more-car class.

While Patterson's letter to Jeffers served to bring into sharp focus a basic element of their conflict, and revealed the great distance that separates the two officials on the question of civilian rubber, Patterson disclosed for the first time the impending crisis that forced him to take their differences to the White House over the head of War Production Board Chairman Donald M. Nelson.

About the first of January, he stated, Jeffers was striving to obtain a special "top" priority rating for facilities necessary to construct a long list of synthetic rubber plants with a rated capacity of 90 per cent of his total projected production of Buna S rubber, backbone of the synthetic program.

Had such a program not been blocked, Patterson charged, the program for producing high-octane gasoline for Army and Navy warplanes would have been set back four months while there would have been a production loss of 15,000 airplanes "this year."

Compromise Attacked

Even the rubber program compromise ordered by James F. Byrnes, former Supreme Court justice, now "assistant president," will "interfere all right" with the high-octane gas and patrol vessel programs, said Patterson. Undersecretary Forrestal agreed.

The compromise gave Jeffers priority over the most essential Army and Navy programs, but restricted the rating to 51.5 per cent of his Buna S program. The rating covered a capacity of 435,000 tons rather than the 845,000 tons for which it was sought.

Forrestal disclosed that he, Patterson and Jeffers argued their case with Byrnes in a three-hour session at the White House. Byrnes acted, he stated, without referring the problem to the President, who was then out of the country.

What Jeffers wanted Patterson described as an "overriding priority" for turning out valves and other component parts in facilities for which the rubber, high-octane and patrol boat engine programs were competitors.

Last November Jeffers obtained from Nelson a priority or "freezing directive" higher than ratings assigned the most critical all-military items, for 20 per cent of his Buna S program. That meant, said Forrestal, that Jeffers could "go into" plants manufacturing components for high-octane facilities and patrol boat engines and "shove aside" these vital programs.

Production Set Back

While the "freezing directive" has set back production of gasoline and engines for boats sorely needed in the submarine Battle of the Atlantic, neither Patterson nor Forrestal was disposed to take further issue with Jeffers over it. While neither representative of the armed services was happy about the green light Byrnes gave Jeffers for 51.5 per cent of his program, forrestal, at least, was disposed to believe that the adverse effect of the order on his program will have a "minimum effect" if carried out with "careful scheduling" and in "good spirit."

Jeffers, who appeared first before the committee, slammed hard at what he called a lack of "definite direction" in the whole war program, characterized by an absence of "decisions that stick." He said he was not at all certain that "the views of Mr. Nelson prevail." He pictured the WPB chief as being "somewhat reluctant to reach a decision that he knows doesn't meet the views of the Army and Navy."

Patterson and Forrestal took a somewhat more compassionate view of Nelson. For that matter, Jeffers said he thought Nelson was doing the "best he could" with a tough problem. Forrestal said he believed Nelson asked Byrnes to make a decision only after a "very honest effort on his (Nelson's) part to get a decision on a very tortuous" problem.

Jeffers appeared to impress the committee. Certainly he left no doubt in the mind of anyone about his determination and ability to "bull through" the rubber program, but after Patterson and Forrestal had been heard in the afternoon there was some hint that the bull might have got into the china shop.

Mott Queries

Representative Mott (Republican) of Oregon wanted to know if Jeffers had checked in with Elmer Davis, chief of the Office of War Information, before making his statement to the committee. Davis criticized Jeffers for not "clearing" with OWI his charge that "Army and Navy loafers" were holding up war production before making it before the Council of State Governments at Baltimore last week. Jeffers' reply:

"That (his statement to the committee) is my idea, that is my viewpoint. I submitted it to nobody!"

Jeffers said what he meant in Baltimore was that he could get rubber production "if we keep out the Army and Navy and these loafers." He said by "loafers" he meant men assigned to unnecessary or "loafer" jobs.

He proclaimed that the war effort suffers from "too little two-fisted direction" of the kind needed to prevent a collapse of the civilian economy. He complained of "continuous and nonresilient conferences" over rubber with the Army and Navy. His conflict with Forrestal and Patterson, he stated, inflicted "serious delays" on the rubber program and "other admittedly vital" programs.

"It is the Army and Navy's job to fight and not to run the business of the country," he declared.

It has been 14 months since Pearl Harbor and one year since the start of the rubber program, "and even now" Government-owned plants have failed to produce "one pound" of rubber, Jeffers charged. This contention was challenged by Patterson.

Jeffers refused to become specific about where and when Army and Navy "expediters" have held up war production. He maintained that expediter delays are "common knowledge" available to all who would go out "and look for" them.

What he objected to in the Government, he said, was to having his decisions "reviewed and reviewed and reviewed again and then no clear decision made." He spoke with mild derision about Nelson's "last decision." He said he didn't know what "last" meant.

To Stand on Statement

"I have made a general statement on expediters," said Jeffers. "I am going to stand on that statement. If the committee thinks otherwise, that is al lright."

Military Affairs Committee Chairman May (Democrat) of Kentucky, broke in to say he was told by Petroleum Coordinator Ickes that at the present rate of consumption, United States oil reserves would be exhausted in 20 years.

Jeffers promised that more synthetic rubber would be made from alcohol.

Aside from its electronics program, the Army has no expediters, commented Patterson. It has "inspectors," but these men have no responsibility for speeding-up production. Neither, he stated, does the Army have "loafers" or "loafer jobs."

Patterson said the trouble with Jeffers was that he wasn't satisfied with a triple-A rating, which is the best the Army and Navy can get for most urgently needed weapons, but wanted something higher.

"I think as things stand today, he (Jeffers) has his full share of critical components and it is a question how much other programs have been hurt," Patterson snapped. "Why not save rubber—or should we take it out of our fliers . . . I quite agree with Mr. Jeffers that we can't win the war without rubber. But we can't throw rubber at the enemy and win a war and there's no use building planes if we haven't the gasoline to fly them."

Patterson denied with some heat that the Army or the Navy have held up rubber. They merely insisted that other programs "should not be brushed aside" by Jeffers, he said.

Patterson and Forrestal agreed that disputes among claimants for critical materials and component parts should be settled by a civilian agency. They indicated satisfaction with WPB. The dispute with Jeffers is the first in which the intervention of Byrnes has been sought, they said. The WPB is "functioning," Patterson stated.

Of the Byrnes decision, Patterson said: "We'll have to take it, I suppose."

The Navy, Patterson declared, is "seriously" behind in its patrol-boat program because of Jeffers' "top, overall freezing directives." Asked if he thought his differences with Jeffers were "irreconcillable," Patterson replied:

"I don't think we've ever agreed yet."

Forrestal said the Navy was in "such disagreement" with Jeffers' method of "freezing priorities" that "we could not ask to have it apply to our own programs."

Roosevelt's Africa Clipper Returns to New York Home Base

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

THEY FLEW WITH PRESIDENT—Looking over a globe are Capt. Howard M. Cone, jr. (right), of Douglaston, N. Y., in charge of clipper plane in which President Roosevelt flew to Casablanca and back, and Capt. Richard W. Vinal, Great Neck, N. Y., who commanded an escort plane

By the Associated Press

New York, Feb. 1.—Weather-stained, the huge clipper plane which carried President Roosevelt safely to and from the unconditional surrender conference at Casablanca, returned today to its home base.

Capt. Howard M. Cone, jr., of Douglaston, N. Y., who was in charge of the giant flying boat, and his crew of 10 Pan American Airways flying men, were aboard.

Ten minutes later another plane carrying the crew which had provided the President's craft with a clipper escort, landed.

Neither Captain Cone nor Capt. Richard W. Vinal of Great Neck, N. Y., in command of the escort ship, would discuss the flights.

The clipper had undergone a three-day overhaul prior to the departure for North Africa, but the only concession made for its distinguished passenger was the installation of a bed-sized mattress in a berth.

Members of the crew of the clipper which carried the President, Harry Hopkins, and a few others on its round-trip Atlantic crossing were First Officer Frank J. Crawford, Second Officer William F. Hughes, Third Officer James L. Steen, Fourth Officer Richard L. Bohner, Assistant Flight Engineer Martin K. Basehore, Assistant Radio Engineer Gail A. Bisbee, Stewards Albert A. Tuinnam and Edward J. Garcia, all of New York; Flight Engineer Raymond D. Comish of Lake Success, N. Y., and Radio Officer Arthur H. Moore of Floral Park, N. Y.

Crew of the other clipper was composed of First Officer Timothy J. Shehan, Second Officer Robert H. Ellenberger, Third Officer John Ray Morrison, Fourth Officer William C. McAmis, Assistant Flight Engineer William F. Daminger, Radio Officer Stanley W. Call, Assistant Radio Officer Robert F. Guest and Stewards Gustave Carreau and Philip A. Casprini, all of New York, and Flight Engineer Donald R. Fowler of Little Neck, N. Y.

Yanks Battling For Heights

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being supported by heavy artillery and dive-bomber fire.

To the north of this area, British infantry and artillery stood astride the road leading down from Pont du Fahs toward Robaa, along the "Grand Dorsal" range commanding the approaches to the middle Tunisian coast, and hurled back powerful German attacks headed up by 52-ton Mark VI tanks. Two of these giants were knocked out along with four lighter tanks.

In this fighting, the Germans came forward at first in light array—with a squadron of 16 tanks and 25 truckloads of infantry—but British fire blew them back. They then sent in a large tank and infantry force, which suffered heavy losses.

Allied planes knocked out seven enemy transports and one or more tanks.

At the eastern end of the North African battle line, two columns of the British Eighth Army were driving toward the Mareth Line in southeastern Tunisia, behind which considerable forces of Field Marshal Rommel's fugitive army of Libya were in position. Field dispatches reported "many contacts" had been made with Rommel's force.

British headquarters in Cairo, in a communique covering action only as of yesterday, announced the capture of the town of Zuara, only 35 miles short of the Tunisian border, thus establishing that the main British bodies were well forward near the frontier. Advanced British elements already had thrust into Tunisia.

In widespread air battles over Tunisia, the Allied communique from North African headquarters reported the destruction of at least 19 enemy planes, against the loss of five Allied planes.

At the Cairo end, three Allied planes were lost, but in operations that damaged and possibly sank an enemy destroyer and spread fire and explosions over the Axis naval base of Messina, Sicily. Allied headquarters reported the destruction of an Italian submarine in the western Mediterranean by a Canadian corvette.

The Axis-held Tunisian ports of Bizerte and Gabes also were bombed.

The Italian high command acknowledged Allied air raids not only on Messina but on the Italian towns of Catania, Trapani, Melito di Porto Salvo and Augusta, and admitted the loss of a corvette and a destroyer off the Tunisian coast.

Major Wood, Halifax's Son, Arrives in U. S.

The British Embassy yesterday announced the arrival in the United States of Maj. Charles Wood, M. P., eldest son of Lord Halifax, the British Ambassador.

The major, who has been serving with the British Eighth Army in Libya, was said to be en route to the United Kingdom.

He brought to Halifax news of his youngest son, Lieut. Richard Wood, who was wounded recently in an Axis bombing raid in Libya.

Brown Pledges He'll 'Follow Law' on Prices

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considered the price control measure, regarded that amount of an increase inevitable."

Action May Hinge on Wages

Brown pointed out that the Second Price Control Act of October 2 specifically ordered him to stabilize prices as nearly as possible at September 15 levels, except for "gross inequities" and an absolute ban against setting farm prices lower than parity.

"I want to hew to the line on the October 2 act as closely as it is possible to do," he said. "I only plan to allow adjustments required by statute.

"One of our purposes is to see that the parity figure is kept as close to the September 15 level as possible."

Recalling the stormy debates which preceded the passage of the Price Control Act in the face of the famous "you-do-it-or-I-will" ultimatum from President Roosevelt, Brown said that Congress' "general idea" was to stabilize conditions as of September 15, 1942, for both prices and wages.

Significantly, he added that he thought "the two go hand in hand," indicating that his efforts may depend to a considerable degree on the ability of the War Labor Board to hold wages within the limits set by its "little steel" formula.

WLB Puts It Up to Him

War Labor Board officials have indicated that their success in holding the wage line will depend to a large degree upon Brown's ability to hold the price control and rationing line.

Demands of aircraft and packing house workers for wage increases in excess of the "Little Steel" formula are already before WLB. John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, meets with his policy committee today to formulate wage demands which are expected to be in excess of the "Little Steel" formula's 15 per cent allowance. Demands of railroad workers for increases up to 30 per cent are now before the National Mediation Board and are expected to go to a special panel with President Roosevelt approving the final decision.

This pressure on wage ceilings is expected to be coupled with pressure on price ceilings from the farm bloc which is attempting to enact legislation raising the parity ceiling on farm prices.

Government officials believe that a policy of "toughness to all" is the only workable formula for holding all the forces in check. Brown's original statement was generally interpreted as indicating a desire to ease up on price control.

More Difficult Job Feared

The original statement took on significance because of widespread reports that Henderson was forced out as price administrator for being "too tough." Some fear was expressed that Brown would now have a more difficult job refusing requests for higher prices presented by businessmen.

However, his friends aver that he had no intention of "taking the lid off" prices when he made the statement and that he was surprised that it was given policy-making importance.

The remark—made in the course of the rapid-fire "give and take" of his first press conference as price administrator—would have had no serious implications had Brown made it while he was Senator from Michigan, it was pointed out.

He acknowledged yesterday that a false impression was created by the remark which was designed to provide background on the origin of the law.

Reds Mopping Up Entrapped Nazis

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already trapped 330,000 of their comrades at Stalingrad.

The midnight communique, meanwhile, reported that more than 1500 of the Nazis trapped at Stalingrad were killed yesterday and that many times that number had surrendered. That left less than 42,000 Germans out of the original 330,000 to be disposed of by the Red army.

In the other large death pocket fashioned by the Russians, that on the Voronezh front, the communique said an entire Nazi regiment had been virtually annihilated. These Axis troops presumably were part of the 25,000 surrounded between Voronezh and Kastornoye.

The capture of Kshen indicates that the Russians are leaving some units to destroy the surrounded Germans while others are pushing on toward Kursk over ground where Soviet troops retreated last summer.

1500 Nazis Killed

In the western Caucasus where the Germans are being thrown back steadily toward the Kerch Peninsula, the Nazis have two main bases left them, Krasnodar and Novorossisk.

Krasnodar already is the objective of three Russian columns. One pushing southwest from captured Tikhoretsk yesterday took Vyselki, 50 miles from Krasnodar, and another driving west from Kropotkin seized Ust-Labinskaya, only 27 miles from their goal. The third column coming up from the recaptured Maikop oil fields is already 30 miles from the city.

Krasnodar's fall would mean the isolation of the Germans based at Novorossisk, 60 miles to the west on the Black Sea coast, leaving them the alternative of fighting to the end or trying to escape to the Crimea by boat.

Turkey on Our Side?

IT LOOKS THAT WAY—The fact that Turkish governmental and military leaders received Winston Churchill and highest British military figures is the latest good news for our side. The map shows how Turkey controls the strategic Dardanelles—which the British tried to force in the last war, not quite succeeding

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there had been placed before them.

The fact that Churchill was accompanied by six highly placed British officers, all commanders of forces operating in the Middle and Near East and Mediterranean, was taken as evidence that the conversations with the Turkish delegation were not confined to political questions alone.

The conference was held at Adana, near the Syrian border, last Saturday and Sunday, and was called at Churchill's request, the foreign office said.

Churchill later returned to Cairo.

Speculation among competent observers went far beyond the announcement of "agreement" being reached.

What occupied observers particularly was the question whether the conference with Turkish President Ismet Inonu and his high officers presaged Turkey's emergence into a new role.

Premier Sukru Saracoglu also attended the conference.

Turkey is a non-belligerent ally of Britain. The alliance formerly included France, and one clause stipulated that the Turks should receive material assistance in strengthening their armed forces.

Following the surrender of France in 1940, Britain shouldered the French commitments, and alone assumed the responsibility of continuing this assistance, authoritative sources said, even though, as it is now known, Britain herself was dangerously weak in all categories of arms at the time.

Turkish Army Fully Mobilized

Consequently, Turkey's position as to Britain has been generally considered as one of "benevolent neutrality."

Turkey also has close bonds of friendship with Russia.

Turkey in recent months has kept her army mobilized to the full, and Turkish sources have expressed fear that Hitler might invade the republic to strike at Russia through the southern flank in an effort to win the rich Soviet oil resources.

The European frontier of Turkey touches Yugoslavia and Bulgaria, occupied by the Axis.

With American aid added to British assistance, military observers expressed belief that the Turkish armed forces could develop to a point where the country would be able fully to withstand any German assault.

The United Nations gradually are tightening a steel ring around Nazi-held Europe, and it has long been considered possible that Hitler might make a desperate effort to break out by attempting a drive from the Balkans through Turkey toward the Allied rear in the Middle East.

The new Anglo-Turkish accord may be designed to forestall this.

[In connection with Britain's new accord with Turkey, it was recalled that the Germans have a trade agreement with Ankara, which recently is believed to have been virtually inoperative, because of the reported inability of the Nazis to deliver manufactured goods called for in the pact.

In return for machinery and arms from the Reich, Turkey was to have furnished chromium ore, cotton and wool as her part of the arrangement, which was reached in June, 1941, and was to last for 10 years.—Editors note.]

There is increasing evidence that Turkey and Russia are approaching settlement of minor differences and there is increasing belief in informed quarters that Ankara may soon be the scene of dramatic developments.

Last November 12 Russia and Turkey exchanged congratulatory messages on the nineteenth anniversary of the creation of the Turkish Republic, representing marked improvement in Soviet-Turkish relations following difficulties over the Ankara trial of two Russians in connection with a plot to bomb the German ambassador to Turkey, Franz von Papen.

British Statement On Conference Issued

London, Feb. 1.—The Ministry of Information issued this statement tonight:

At his request, Mr. Winston Churchill, Prime Minister, representing His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, came to Turkey as the guecst of the Government of the Republic. On his arrival the Prime Minister was received in audience by the President of the Republic, who was at Adana.

Several interviews took place between the Turkish and British statesmen and experts whose names follow:

For Turkey: Monsieur Sakru Swrajoglu (Sukru Saracoglu), president of the Council of Ministers; Marshal Fevzi Cakmak, chief of the general staff; Monsieur Numan Menemencioglu, Minister for Foreign Affairs; Monsieur Feridun Erkin, Minister Plenipotentiary, assistant secretary general, Minister of Foreign Affairs; Gen Sefik Cakmak, air adviser of the Turkish general staff; Col Fashih Kayaball, chief of operations of the general staff

For the United Kingdom: Winston Churchill, Sir H. Knatchbull Hugessen (British Minister to Turkey), Sir Alexander Cadogan (undersecretary for foreign affairs), Gen. Sir Alan Brooke, chief of the imperial general staff; Sir Maitland Wilson, commander in chief of the Persia and Iraq Command; General Sir Harold Alexander, commander in chief of Middle East Forces; Lieut. Gen. Sir Wilfred Lindsell, lieutenant general to the commander in chief in charge of administration in the Middle East; Air Marshal R. M. Drummond, deputy air officer in the Middle East, and Commodore J. D. Dundas, chief of staff to the (naval) commander in chief in the Mediterranean.

The bonds of friendship and mutual good understanding between Turkey and the United Kingdom have been confirmed and still further strengthened by the frank conversations which ensued at this meeting. The Turkish statesmen reviewed the course of Turkish policy during the last critical years and the Prime Minister was able to assure them that His Majesty's government had followed it with full sympathy and understanding. The Turkish and British statesmen together examined the present situation in Europe, particularly in those regions in which Turkey is directly interested.

Agree on Aid to Turkey

On all the principal points identity of view was established. Agreement was reached on the manner in which Great Britain and the United States would be able to help Turkey materially to consolidate her own general defensive security and conversations on that subject took place between Turkish and British military advisors.

The Prime Minister, having so recently been in conference with the President of the United States of America, could speak with the full knowledge of the views of President Roosevelt, who had warmly welcomed the proposal for this meeting. Consideration also was given to postwar problems on which agreement again was reached. After these interviews, which took place on January 30 and 31, at Adana, both Turkish and British statesmen expressed themselves as fully satisfied.

Unverified Jap Boast Claims Sinking of 5 U. S. Warships

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spotted a powerful Allied fleet of battleships, cruisers and destroyers east of Rennell Island and steaming northward in a rough sea, whipped by strong gales under dense clouds.

"Formidable formations of Japanese torpedo planes flew through the rift of the clouds toward the enemy," Domei said. By sunset last Friday, the fleet "desperately started retreating," trying to escape the Japanese planes, the account continued.

The Japanese commander of the torpedo flight was said to have hit a battleship, causing a great explosion. Then his plane was hit and he crashed headlong onto the battleship, setting the bridge afire, the account added. Successive torpedo hits were reported made by other planes and the burning battleship was said to have sunk quickly.

In the same attack, two cruisers "were sunk instantly and two other battleships were set afire and another cruiser was wrapped in flames," Domei said.

As darkness settled, the Allied fleet altered its course southeastward, "vainly attempting to stay clear of the Japanese attacks," Doemi said. Japanese planes returned to the attack at dawn Saturday, the Tokyo account said, and by that time the damaged battleships had brought their fires under control.

The Japanese planes were said to have fought through 20 protecting Grummans, scoring several torpedo hits on one of the battleships, which "immediately disappeared into the deep."

"Another battleship was again set afire and appeared to be heavily damaged," the broadcast added, "a cruiser that had escaped the day before was instantly sunk."

4 Navy Captains Made Admirals

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City.

Captain Kingman, 52, is a graduate of the Naval Academy, class of 1911. During the last war, he served on the battleship New York, which operated with the British Grand Fleet. He was assistant naval attache to London from 1928 to 1930, during which time he served as American representative to a conference revising the International Code of Signals.

In 1932-33, Captain Kingman was aide to the commandant of the Navy Yard here and for the next two years he was a White House aide. From 1939 to 1941, he commanded a destroyer squadron with the Asiatic Fleet. Subsequently he commanded a battleship and now commands a division of ships with the fleet.

These lieutenant colonels in the Medical Corps were nominated for permanent rank of colonel in the Regular Army:

Gouverneur Vincent Emerson, Milford, Pa.; William Archer Hagins, Olive, Ga.; William Oscar Hampton Prosser, born Le Mars, Iowa; George Corwin Beach, jr, born Topeka, Kans.; Jesse Irving Sloat, Washington, D. C.; David Norvell Walker Grant, Richmond, Va.; James Stevens Simmons, Washington, D. C.; Alvin Jay Bayley, Glendale, Calif.; John Francis Corby, Philadelphia; Roy Edward Fox, Dayton, Ohio; Dean Flewellyn Winn, born Macon, Ga.; Alva Burton McKie, Canton, Miss.; Albert Walton Kenner, born Holyoke, Mass.; Arturo Carbonell, born Caborajo, Puerto Rico.

He also nominated these lieutenant colonels to the permanent rank of colonel: Benjamin Fiery Hoge, Cavalry, of Baltimore; Frederick Herr, Cavalry, Flemington, N. J., and Clifford James Mathews, Infantry, of Fort Valley, Ga. The latter two already hold the temporary rank of colonel.

British Traffic Toll Double That of Raids

London, Feb. 1 (AP).—Automobile accidents took more than twice as many lives as German air raiders in Britain in 1942, a report by the ministry of war transport disclosed today.

The report listed the number of deaths in highway accidents as 6926. Air raid fatalities previously had been officially reported at 3221

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Picture Story of Historic African Conference . . . .

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1, Meeting in an historic conference at Casablanca, French Morocco, President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill of Great Britain worked out the Allied grand strategy for 1943 and settled essential differences between the two French leaders, Gen. Henri Honore Giraud, High Commissioner for French North Africa, and Gen. Charles De Gaulle, leader of the Fighting French. Shown here (left to right) on the lawn at the conference, are Gen. Giraud, President Roosevelt, Gen. De Gaulle and Churchill. After decisions were reached . . .

U. S. Army Air Corps Photo from OWI.

2, President Roosevelt, with Churchill at his side, read to assembled war correspondents the text of a communique announcing that they and their staffs had worked out plans to bring the Axis to "unconditional surrender." Then, photographers were called . . .

U. S. Navy Photo From OWI.

3, —and, for posterity, the leaders of two great nations posed with some of the high-ranking Army and Navy officials who helped work out the Allied plans for victory. The serious business of the meeting over . . .

U. S. Army Air Corps Photo from OWI.

4 President Roosevelt viewed from his jeep a part of the great American Army in French Morocco. The massed ranks of infantry made an impressive sight. The was only one of many visits the Chief Executive made to American troops at the fighting front during his sensational trip abroad. Then . . .

Photo by U. S. Army Air Forces From OWI.

5—heading homeward, the President stopped off in Liberia to review American Negro troops in that strategic republic. Here he is shown welcoming President Edwin Barclay, with a warm handclasp, to an American jeep as they began a review of the troops. From Liberia . . .

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6. . . the President, in high good humor, flew to Brazil. Presidential wit sparkled as Mr. Roosevelt and President Getulio Vargas of Brazil (civilian in center, rear seat) began a tour of Brazilian military bases. Then the President began the last lap of his journey home

The Camera Catches Casablanca Sidelights

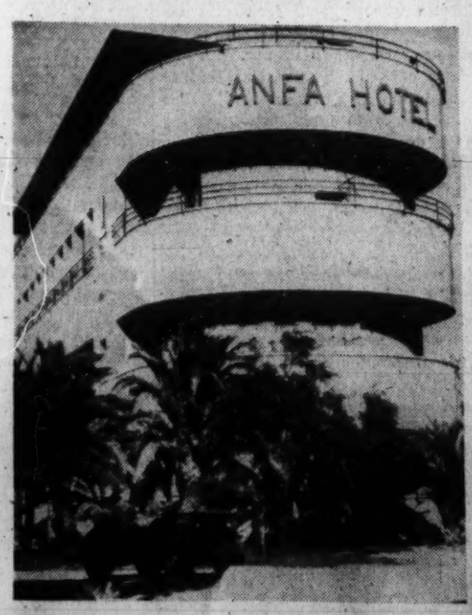
The President holds a whispered conference with his son, Lieut. Col. Elliott Roosevelt.

Mr. Roosevelt, with the assistance of Maj. Gen. George S. Patton, jr., commander of United States forces in French Morocco, affixes the Congressional Medal of Honor upon Brig. Gen. William H. Wilbur in the presence of Gen. George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff, U. S. Army.

Associated Press Photo

Harry Hopkins chats with his son, Sergt. Robert Hopkins of the Signal Corps, who came back from the African front to see his father during the conference.

While President Roosevelt reviews American troops, Staff Sergt. Oran Loss of Kansas City, Mo. sits proudly at the wheel of the jeep in which he drove the President on an inspection tour January 21



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The Anfa Hotel, above, was the scene of the history-making conference in Casablanca.

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Pointing To Jitneys

Two news items of the week-end seem to point in the same direction. The Public Utilities Commission found it necessary to eliminate three District bus lines. The District division of the American Automobile Association declared that car-sharing on the part of Washington residents has proved to be a failure. Some organized means of pressing passenger automobiles into public transportation service thus becomes more and more pressing.

No doubt other bus lines will have to be shortened as gasoline and bus tires become more scarce. At the same time large new communities built for war workers in the city's outskirts need additional transportation. Some means of bridging the gap will have to be found, and with passenger cars still carrying an average of only 2.06 persons the hope of putting them to full use while still in the hands of their present owners seems to be remote.

The Post suggested recently that passenger cars might be purchased by a quasi-public agency and operated in suburban communities during the morning and evening hours of heavy traffic. Such a jitney service could greatly relieve bus lines running into the outskirts of the city and thus improve service on the main routes where traffic will doubtless be increasingly heavy. Use of women drivers for the jitneys would avoid any further complication of the manpower problem. We do not know whether this or any other plan for more effective use of passenger automobiles is under official consideration. But the authorities certainly ought to be working out some means of supplementing streetcar and bus service if they expect to prevent the present loss of disgruntled war workers from becoming a dangerous exodus.

Best War Tax

President Roosevelt said in his budget message that "we should strive to collect not less than 16 billion dollars of additional funds by taxation, savings or both during the fiscal year 1944." Even if this huge sum were added to anticipated receipts from existing taxes, total tax revenues would amount to only half of budgeted expenditures for the coming year. Not only is a great increase in taxes needed, therefore, to retard the terrifyingly rapid rate of debt increase, but the new taxes should be the kind that will cut down consumer spending. A general sales tax is ideally suited to achieve these dual objectives, as Charles O. Hardy demonstrates in a study published by the Brookings Institution.

Under our existing income-tax system a large proportion of the people pay little or no taxes, partly because of liberal exemptions and partly because, in the absence of effective checks, they manage to cheat the tax collector. A general sales tax would not only "get" the tax dodgers; it would also reach hitherto exempt groups that ought to be contributing their mite to the war effort. As Mr. Hardy explains, usually valid objections to sales taxes based on the ground that they restrict consumption by lower-income groups and jeopardize decent living standards are irrelevant under the emergency conditions of war. Indeed, the defects of general sales taxation are transformed into virtues now that it has become necessary to limit mass spending severely in order to keep the lid on prices.

The Brookings study presents some extremely convincing arguments in favor of levying sales taxes on retail transactions rather than at some other stage of the production-distribution process. Taxes on retail sales would not disturb the price structure, would be comparatively easy to administer, and not expensive to collect if the proposed stamp system of payment were employed. By issuing a limited amount of stamps tax free to extremely low-income families it would also be possible to lighten the burden of sales taxtion for them. A retail sales tax of 10 per cent, carrying only limited exemptions for housing, medical care and education, would, it is estimated, yield approximately 5 billion dollars—a sizable segment of that 16 billion dollars asked for by the President.

A sales tax would not only be the easiest way of obtaining a large amount of additional revenue, but the sums taken by the tax collector would deflate consumer spending very effectually. The Treasury's favorite proposal for raising revenue, the so-called spendings tax, presents formidable administrative difficulties and, as Mr. Hardy says, it "would apply almost entirely to taxpayers who are readily reached by the income tax and, like the income tax, would probably reduce savings much more than consumption expenditures."

Mr. Flynn

The withdrawal of the nomination of Eddie Flynn as Minister to Australia was a recognition, of course, of the certainty that the nomination would have been rejected by the Senate. In that rejection the Senate would have conformed to the popular protest. It is to be regretted that in time of war a dissent has to be registered against a request by the President in a matter which by tradition is generally regarded as unchallengeable. Only with considerable reluctance are patriotic Americans in time of war in opposition to the man who is their Commander in Chief. But it was precisely because these are war times that this appointment was questioned. The fact is that the people have taken seriously the presidential admonition to adjourn politics for the duration. And they saw politics on the part of their leader himself in this attempt to use a high diplomatic post as a refuge for a man who has become a political liability to the presidential party. That is the reason that the submission of Mr. Flynn's name to the Senate caused such a furor.

It is extraordinary that on this issue the President should have misjudged the temper of the American people. For in the actual conduct of the war abroad the President has shown great sagacity. He has just given another demonstration of that sagacity in his mission to North Africa. Whatever the results of that mission—and, even if some Americans are inclined to underrate them, Hitler won't—the flight itself displayed an intuitive grasp of psychological warfare. We dare say that no news in this war can have created more consternation in Germany. Yet at home the President is not so sure as he is abroad. Seemingly he still has to learn the elementary fact that on the psychological front he is in a changed America. What goes in peacetime, in other words, will not go in wartime. In our opinion even such charity-as-usual as the birthday balls in behalf of the Warm Springs Foundation is out of tune with these crucial times. Some may dispute that. But there will be no question that such politics as usual as the Flynn appointment do not contribute to the country's warmindedness. On the contrary, the appointment tended to undermine it. The contrast between the President's call for supreme sacrifice, for all-out devotion to the country, and the Flynn appointment simply created disquiet in the public mind. And that disquiet remains.

Here is a situation which must concern Mr. Elmer Davis and the Office of War Information, since their job is to bolster up public morale. Was Mr. Davis consulted prior to the submission of Mr. Flynn's name to the Senate? We doubt it. What Mr. Davis would have said if he had been consulted we have, of course, no knowledge. But, in view of a damage to the psychology of the country as a result of this whole affair, we think that in matters of this sort the White House as well as the Government departments should be in constant liaison with the OWI. Nothing is more important in the light of the decision at Casablanca to press for a speedy victory over Hitler than to sustain and intensify the Nation's warmindedness. The OWI should be ranked accordingly. In Britain the corresponding body rates membership in the Cabinet. Not only does this position give the Ministry of Information parity with the other Cabinet officers; it provides a recognized court of appeal on all matters undertaken by the Executive which affect the public mind. There are many things which are peculiar to Britain which in time past this country has imported and absorbed mistakenly. This is one improvement, however, which has as much application here as in Britain. Such an elevation of the OWI might have saved the Executive in the Flynn affair from committing a blunder which in time of war was extremely unfortunate.

Fight On Bottlenecks

The fight against industrial bottlenecks will probably never be won, because it is impossible to anticipate all the knotty problems created by competing and ever-changing demands for limited supplies of materials. However, the rapid progress made in mobilizing industry for war is shown by the fact that interest has shifted from problems connected with the production and distribution of raw materials to problems concerning the allocation of supplies and equipment to plants turning out finished war products. Mr. Jeffers' rubber program is suffering, for example, because the armed services are competing with him for equipment needed to expand production of escort vessels and 100 per cent octane gasoline.

Conflicts of this kind have given impetus to plans for the so-called "rationalization" of intermediate supply industries manufacturing the tools, valves and machine parts used at later stages of production. "Rationalization" is a rather vague term generally associated with efforts to increase industrial efficiency through standardization of output and concentration of production in the more efficient plants. Progress along these lines has been slow because it entails a sacrifice of some of the less efficient—and usually comparatively small business units—that it has been the Government's policy to keep alive. A tremendous amount of preliminary work is also necessary to determine how far standardization can be safely carried without impairing the quality and the usefulness of the goods produced. Finally, rationalization spells sacrifice of competitive advantages and willingness to pool resources to achieve the economies of mass production.

To be successful such a program requires the closest kind of cooperation between the WPB and representatives of industry. Moreover, it calls for active cooperation on the part of businessmen, not mere passive acceptance of a governmental plan of action laid down for industry's guidance.

Aimed At Robbery

We find it impossible to follow the reasoning of C. I. O. President Murray's protest against the Hobbs bill which was favorably reported to the House last week by that body's Judiciary Committee. Mr. Murray's most specific request is that the bill be returned to the committee for "appropriate" hearings. But extensive hearings on the measure were held last year at which the C. I. O. was amply represented. Those hearings brought forth abundant evidence of the type of violence and racketeering which the Hobbs bill is designed to curb.

Mr. Murray rightly says that there is now a Federal antiracketeering law on the statute books. But he is well aware of the fact that the Supreme Court scuttled that law so far as racketeering by union men is concerned. It is nonsense to pretend that this measure designed to correct the Court's mistake would obstruct any legitimate activities of organized labor. The heart of the bill is this simple sentence: "Whoever in any way or degree obstructs, delays, or affects commerce, or the movement of any article or commodity in commerce, by robbery or extortion, shall be guilty of a felony."

Nothing whatever in the bill discriminates against labor unions. It is aimed solely at robbers and extortioners. Should robbery and extortion be committed under the cloak of unionism, of course punishment would be meted out no less than if those crimes had been committed by employers, or brokers, or any other groups. For labor leaders to protest against penalties for robbery and extortion that would apply to everyone alike is equivalent to seeking special immunity for sluggers and racketeers who happen to hold union cards. Apparently Mr. Murray has used snap judgment. We cannot believe in any event that he intends to inform Congress that the practice of robbery and extortion are a part of labor's legitimate activities.

When we commented on the Hobbs bill in these columns the other day we erroneously assumed that the bill had been amended to restrict its penalties for racketeering to the duration of the war. The section which would remain in force only for the duration is a safeguard against interference with the movement of troops, munitions and so forth. Those provisions were in force during the last war and have been revived at the suggestion of Joseph B. Eastman, director of Defense Transportation. We are pleased to see that the penalties for obstruction of interstate commerce by means of robbery and extortion would be made permanent. In our opinion organized labor would be wise to support this bill as a means of clearing its skirts of the racketeering fringe which now tends to bring disrepute upon the labor movement.

Social Hygiene Society

In conjunction with national observance of Social Hygiene Day, the local society begins its twenty-fifth year of service. Composed of physicians, educators, social workers, lawyers and religious leaders, its members have done much to educate citizens, administrators and legislators to the public needs. Their efforts have helped to provide better medical and legal measures and funds for administration. They have also seen medical services, lectures, library assistance, pamphlets, consultations and surveys provided to promote better marriage, parenthood and home-building and to treat and curtail prostitution, illegitimacy and venereal disease. And in the national organization's award to Dr. H. H. Hazen, local president, its leader is credited with an influence that reaches out across the country. Like his predecessor, Dr. William Alanson White, he has stood for the integration of mental and moral education with medical treatment. This has also constituted the society's aim, as reflected in practice in the District. The community may well hope, in remarking the society's anniversary, for a long continuance of such an influence.

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Though many a leaf has trembled on the bough
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That even now illumines all the oval room
And wakes perennial summer in the mind.
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The radiance rounding the Sybil's pearls . . .
Shaping the Old Woman's bending face,
Touching the curve of your son's curls.
On the Slav's turban your sun shines in splendor,
And here in the Portrait of a Man
The wide eyes look out from under the hat's brim
Searching and sad and full of the ancient hope
Of all who gaze from the dark sea to the thin line of shore
Where after the long night slowly awakes the echo
Of your light.

SARA VAN ALSTYNE ALLEN.

America At War

By Selden Menefee

City Of The Past

Vicksburg, Miss.

TO THE average inhabitant of Vicksburg, World War II still seems less tangible and real than the "War Between the States."

The present war has touched Vicksburg but lightly. There is a small shell casing plant, employing some 400 people; the U. S. Employment Service has sent about 500 skilled workers and semiskilled graduates of vocational training courses to Mobile, Pascagoula, and other centers of war industry; and the draft has taken a large number of the city's youth.

But the war boom atmosphere is entirely lacking in Vicksburg. The population of the city hovers around the 25,000 mark. For a year or two after the census was taken it was higher, when the U. S. Army Engineering Corps brought in a flood control project employing 2600 people. But with the completion of this project, two-thirds of these people left Vicksburg, leaving behind only the huge U. S. Waterways Experiment Station, the largest laboratory of its sort in the world.

Traces of Depression

AS A result, there are still marked traces of the depression here. The Employment Service has a thousand registered jobseekers, half of whom are actually unemployed. The end of WPA means a problem here, especially since Mississippi has no provision for cash relief.

But the people of Vicksburg are little interested in these things. Ask the average citizen about his city and he will immediately describe to you the Vicksburg National Cemetery, with its 1300 acres of monuments and breastworks carefully preserved since 1863, when General Grant outflanked the defenders and swept up from the south to capture the city and cut the Confederacy in two.

He will proudly point out to you the old Warren County Courthouse, built in 1861 with slave labor and badly scarred by Grant's cannons. He may even offer to take you on a tour of "antebellum" houses, such as the Klein home, where a cannon ball fired by a Federal gunboat is still embedded in the woodwork.

Down by the riverfront you will get an even better picture of the city's lingering past. Along the banks above the levee are ramshackle houses about to collapse. The waterfront looks much like it must have looked in Mark Twain's days, except that the flooded river has immersed De Soto Island to join the Yazoo River Canal to the Mississippi. The ancient river boat Vestel is tied up to the bank, a fishing barge is just below her, and a raft just across the channel displays the sign, "T. M. Morrissey, Liquor Dealer."

To Vicsburg residents, the Negro question is the town's burning problem at present. Southern women unused to doing any of their own housekeeping can't get full-time maids for a few dollars a week any longer, and their anger is unbounded. Many of them believe the rumors about "Eleanor Clubs" among the Negroes.

One even hears stories of how the white population is storing ammunition against the danger of a Negro revolt, either while the white soldiers are off to war or after the colored soldiers return.

These morbid fears seem to be directly related to the proportion of Negroes in the population. The whites point out nervously that they are outnumbered by the Negroes in Vicksburg itself. They add that just up river, in the delta cotton region, the colored population is over 90 per cent of the total in some localities. The fear that these Negroes may soon object to being "kept in their place" preys on the minds of many whites.

Northern Negroes Appear

One of the things which most riles the people of Vicksburg and the South is the frequent appearance of Northern Negroes below the Mason-Dixon line, which is blamed for the increasing independence of the Southern Negroes. (In reality their independent attitude is mainly the result of increasing economic opportunities in wartime.)

There is much discussion of the Federal indictments recently returned against several leaders of a mob which lynched a Negro at Laurel, Miss., last fall. The better educated people of Vicksburg almost unanimously express the hope that the lynchers will be convicted, in order to discourage mob violence in the State.

What is probably the majority sentiment, however, was voiced to me by a lard salesman who said, "They'll never get enough evidence to make it stick. If they do, they can't get a jury together that will convict 'em."

This gentleman then described, with many a chuckle, how some years ago he took part in the mass killing of 18 Negroes, some of whom were alleged to have killed a local law enforcement officer.

When I ventured the opinion that the law should take care of such cases, he merely looked at me with amusement and said, "If you lived down here awhile you'd understand."

This attitude, and the unwillingness of many Negroes to accept it, may cause trouble in the South, if present trends continue.

Echoes Of Doom

By Barnet Nover

Germany And The Russian Drive

THE BATTLE of Stalingrad has now come to a definite end and with it Hitler's last glimmering hope of escape from that defeat which is now certain and may be swift.

Stalingrad's role in this war was that of the Battles of the Marne, Verdun and the Second Marne of the last war rolled into one.

Like the First Marne, the Battle of Stalingrad marked the high tide of the German army's advance. As at Verdun the enemy at Stalingrad beat his head in vain against a bastion whose defenders were determined to hold firm at no matter what cost and who succeeded in their mission. And like the Second Marne, Stalingrad saw the ebbing of the once irresistible German flood, followed by a rapid recession.

FROM BEGINNING to end the Battle of Stalingrad lasted more than five months.

When the German assault began last August the chances appeared more than even that Hitler's troops would be astride the Volga perhaps as far as its mouth at Astrakhan by winter. At the same time a powerful Axis force under Marshal Rommel was within 60 miles of Alexandria.

Hitler himself has, in two speeches, emphasized the tremendous strategic importance of Stalingrad whose capture, he pointed out, would mean the severance of the Volga lifeline connecting Central Russia and the oil fields of the Caucasus. And the initial attack was carried out by the Nazis with no fewer than 58 picked divisions numbering 870,000.

WE CAN JUDGE from the size of this force that Hitler was determined to avoid a repetition of what had happened at Moscow ten months earlier. The German plan, it is clear, was to overwhelm Stalingrad in short order. Indeed, 72 hours after the assault began the German radio was notified by Hitler's headquarters to stand by for an announcement of tremendous importance, namely, the capture of the Volga metropolis. That announcement was never made.

During the first days of the siege a very large part of Stalingrad was laid waste by a continuous wave of German bombers. Soon the Germans had succeeded in establishing themselves in various parts of the city and at several points had even penetrated to the Volga. But the Russian garrison held on amidst the ruins, fought back without flinching and inflicted heavy losses on the attackers.

So August went and September and October but Stalingrad remained in Russian hands. And then, in November, the Red army began a counteroffensive which was to cause the bells of doom to begin jangling all over the Reich.

THE RUSSIANS estimate that the Germans lost between one million and 1,500,000 men in killed, wounded and prisoners on the Stalingrad front. Even if we discount this estimate by 50 per cent the German losses were still exceedingly heavy, particularly in the light of the fact that Hitler is now beginning to scrape the manpower barrel in Germany and Axis satellite lands.

Moreover, in failing to take Stalingrad Hitler exposed his far-flung salient in the Caucasus and also lost Egypt and Libya. A small proportion of the men and materiel Germany invested in the attempt to take Stalingrad might, had they been diverted to Egypt, enabled Rommel to drive through to Alexandria and the Nile.

THE NAZIS are now taking what comfort they can in the fact that the German besiegers at Stalingrad fought bravely even after all hope of victory had ended and even the possibility of being relieved had disappeared.

But if Stalingrad is a monument to heroism—German and Russian—it is also a monument to the incredible vanity of the bloody-handed despot who, in they hope that they might yet validate his "intuition" inisisted that the German forces fight on to the death.

In view of what has happened at Stalingrad, in the Caucasus, along the Don bend, at Voronezh, at Leningrad and elsewhere on the far-flung Eastern Front during the past two months, it is hardly surprising that the struggle in Russia dominated the speeches of Goering and Goebbels on Hitler's tenth anniversary as premier last Saturday.

IN THIS CONNECTION the speech of Goering is especially worth reading. For even while lauding Hitler to the skies for his strength and his insight, Goering made repeated admissions that Hitler had grossly understimated Russia's strength, Russian unity, Russian tactical skill and the Russian weather.

Was the fat Goering, whose promise that no English bomb would fall on German soil has so often and so tragically been belied by events, trying to place the sole blame for the Reich's disasters on the Fuehrer? Certainly there is an unconscious—it may be conscious—touch of irony in Goering's remark that:

"It was the Fuehrer who, against all the weaklings who whined around him, with all his strength held the front in the East alone. Thanks to his strength and genius, the German army stepped forward to a new gigantic push."

Six months ago such a statement might have been accepted by the German people at its face value. But now? Where is that "strength and genius" now that the German army is no longer stepping "forward to a new gigantic push," but is moving back as rapidly as it can and being cut to pieces in the process?

It is hard to avoid the conclusion that there was more to Goering's speech than meets the eye. And the possibility arises—it is as yet only a possibility—that in order to persuade the German people to fight on Hitler and his disastrous intuition may be shelved and the war turned over to the professionals. We may soon find out.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

Negro Heroism

This day I have noted several articles in the press relating the bravery of Negro troops. This is encouraging. For awhile, after the honors paid Brooks, the first member of a tank unit to be killed, and Dorrie Miller, there has been little news of the Negro soldier.

Of course since most of the fighting has been done by our air and naval men, and because of our stupid policy of restricting full opportunity for colored men to train for all branches of the service, they have not had much chance yet to display their valor and fighting ability. When we get to that point where the colored soldier will be used more fully as a fighter and less as a laborer, the records will be replete with deeds of heroism.

For the sake of morale, and to confound the effects of segregation, denial of fair treatement and limited employment at home, you are doing a good job by keeping the public and the families informed of the existence and participation of colored boys in this great fight for liberty, home, and humanity.

E. B. HENDERSON.
Falls Church, Va., Jan. 28.

Too Much Bickering

I had admired Gen. Charles de Gaulle and his "Fighting French," but now that the other French general, Giraud, and General de Gaulle have come together with their forces in Northern Africa, these two men have shown their smallness of stature by wasting precious time bickering about personal, political matters!

It was the political rottenness and physical degeneracy that caused the downfall of France. It is high time now that these two French generals brought their forces together and both worked to rid the world of Hitlerism. Let them take a look at the present deplorable state of their own country—France! If that is not enough to make them get together, then France has two generals who will not add to the glory of that country!

H. B. BRADFORD.
Bethesda, Md., Jan. 29.

'Walk' System Needed

It is unfortunate that your correspondent who commented recently upon the "pedestrian vs. motorist problem" stated his case so incompletely. There is a strong element of practical truth in his observations.

Leaving aside the question of crossing in the middle of the block, where we would probably all agree he should not, there is still the fact that at certain times and places crossing against the light is actually safer than obeying the law. I have been very nearly hit three times. Two of these were the result of crossing with the light and being caught in the path of a car making a right turn from behind me. Under such circumstances the pedestrian is helpless and entirely dependent on the mercy and good sense of the driver. (In these cases courtesy seems to be limited to motor police and taxi drivers.) Hence in places and at hours where the traffic bulk is on a route parallel to the pedestrian, he is really wiser to go against the light and depend upon his own judgment and responsibility to select a safe break in traffic. This obviously does not apply to the in-town areas where the "walk" system is properly set and where cars are moving slowly enough to permit full control on the part of the driver.

The second and even more lethal situation arises where the pedestrian, having started on a green light is caught in the middle of the street at the change. Here he is in no real danger from the inner line of cars but in reaching the outer lane can step directly into the path of an automobile which has been idling through the block waiting for the light to change. The motorist reaches the intersection at a high speed and is unable to see a pedestrian who may be in front of the inner lane car. The unfortunate pedestrian, who is generally being roundly cursed by the driver he is holding up, steps out and the result is somewhat messy.

In the third and final case the only cure is a little courtesy. Heaven help the pedestrian who is caught on an icy street at the light change and is unable to hurry across and still remain on his feet.

NAVY EMPLOYE.
Arlington, Va., Jan. 28.

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

An Old Grad Speaks

I visited the old college campus last week.

You'd never believe it.

They're saluting professors!

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The boys are going to classes in step!

They're singing "Bright College Years" with a sergeant as music critic!

They're using mandolins for chow-spoons.

If a student skips his English class he's A. W. O. L.

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They're issuing caps and gowns with grass buttons.

Sheepskins are being awarded by caliber.

They're delivering baccalaureates in code.

When a student is tapped on the back and ordered, "Go to your room," he doesn't know whether he's being chosen for a college fraternity or just lined up for k. p. duty.

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The dean goes to his office in a jeep.

The faculty board shows up by tank.

The Greek professor is talking turkey on American war tactics.

And the instructor in mathematics is correcting examination papers with a bayonet.

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The candidate for left halfback is completely eclipsed by the candidates for first sergeant.

The best prospect in years for the freshman baseball nine is running tenth to the good prospect for second lieutenant.

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Graduation exercises are being held on the double-quick.

A student can lose his diploma for being out of step.

And he can be made to take the year over for not walking his post in a soldierly manner.

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The class band is made up entirely of buglers.

Class ivy planting is being abolished as too refined and the cactus substituted as more in the mood.

They're cutting the campus grass with sabers and papering the rooms with "hang-up" girls.

The most pathetic case in a college town is a college tailor—he is even being asked to take back some suits!

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The class poet is doing military police work, and the boy who got the vote "most likely to succeed" is the student who can handle two rifles at once.

And the old college inn . . . you'd never know the place—the bartenders are in Tunisia, the waiters are in the Solomons, the cashier is in Alaska, the chef is in Burma and the customers are taking coke and lime juice.

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Let's have three cheers and a tiger for old Wonapassakee!

(And go to the guardhouse quietly when the patrol grabs you as a suspicious character.)

REJECTION.

We can't adopt that Rumi plan—
We want no part of it,
Because it is so simple that
It's made a great big hit.
We must not give it any chance—
Our verdict must be "No!"—
Because it would work easily
And ease the public's woe.
We cannot pass the Rumi plan,
Just put it in the file.
It doesn't complicate a tax
In our accustomed style.

The Garble Sisters Discuss a Great Crisis.

"Ain't it orful about the terrible bread crisis?"

"You mean about whether we should slice it from left to right or from right to left?"

"No. Washington won't let the bakers slice it at all on account of the fuel shortage."

"What's the fuel shortage got to do with it?"

"It says that slicing bread at home helps you keep warm."

"Well, I'm for anything that conserves rubber even if I have to cut it myself."

Ima Oodo announces that she is keeping perfectly neutral in the war over presliced bread. "I don't wish to take sides," she says, "and am eating rolls."

Icy Damage

Something ought to be done about it. I'm talking about the criminal neglect of streets during the siege of ice and snow that has been with us for the past few days. Not only will the streets need costly repairs when the ice has disappeared but the transportation system will suffer a near complete breakdown. The wear and tear on tires, buses, cabs, trucks and private automobiles caused by this neglect on the part of the District amounts to nothing short of sabotage to the war effort. Everyone has listened to the cry to save rubber. Has the District been deaf to this cry, that they let the ice pile up in insurmountable heaps? Every day more buses have to be taken off the streets for repair. Buses use materials vital to our war effort. I don't believe that it has been impossible to do anything about it. Some streets have been cleared—some of those that aren't used by buses. Well-traveled highways in Maryland have been cleared.

And then there is the time lost by Government and private employes who struggle for hours to get to work, to say nothing of the wear and tear on the mental and physical condition of these individuals.

A BUS RIDER.
Avondale, Md., Jan. 30.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

Germany And The Russian Power

IN VIEW of what was said in Berlin on Saturday we may remind ourselves that for 50 years Germany has had two policies toward Russia: to marry Russia or to kill Russia. Bismarck, who was the last great statesman of the German Empire, tried marriage. William II tried war. The Weimar Republic tried marriage. Hitler has tried both. He began by shouting that Russia was the great enemy. Then he made the pact of 1939 and declared that all would be well forever. Then he made war on Russia. Now we may well expect to see the not too distant day when the immediate successors of Hitler will again seek to marry Russia.

LIPPMANN

The pendulum has swung back and forth whether Germany was Hohenzollern, republican, or Nazi, whether Russia was Czarist or Communist. Why does the pendulum swing? Because Germany, in order to become the dominant world power, must either conquer Russia or absorb Russia; because Russia, in order to develop her vast undeveloped domain, must find security on her western borderland, either by thwarting the German military power or by placating it.

Thus Russo-German relations are crucial. They produced the first World War. They determined the alignment of power at the beginning of the second World War. They are pivotal in the strategic shape of this, the decisive phase of that war, and they will exercise the controlling influence upon events to come.

THE GERMANS, as always, have two alternative policies in mind in this culminating phase of the conflict. They are the same old alternatives—to marry Russia or to kill her. For the moment they are presenting the second of the two alternatives. By means of intensified submarine war they hope to convince Britain, America, and also Occupied Europe, that the western democracies are incapable of playing a deciding role in the European theater, and that therefore, it will be Russia, communist Russia, which would in the event of German defeat dictate the peace.

But they are also considering the other alternative in case they are unable to persuade the Westerners to abandon their support of Russia, and to negotiate a peace which promises to support a quasi-Nazi regime, minus only Hitler and a few of his more notorious accomplices. The second alternative would be to set a communist facade in front of German military imperialism, and as a German Soviet state to seek an alliance with the Russian Soviets. This second alternative, marriage with Russia in a new form, would have a double attraction to the pan-German imperialists. It would terrify Britain, America, and France, and it would open up the prospect to the Germans that they could eventually infiltrate and conquer Russia from within.

IT IS said on reasonably good authority that Stalin is aware of the possibility of this maneuver, and that he has said that the last thing he wants is a German communist state. For being above all a realistic Russian nationalist, Stalin knows quite well that German communism would be more German than communist.

THERE ARE a number of compelling reasons why neither of these plans for avoiding the destruction of pan-German imperialism is likely to succeed. For one thing the manner in which the Nazis have conducted their war in Russia has been too bitter an experience for the Russians to be dealt with by masquerades and maneuvers. This has been no eighteenth century war among professional soldiers; this is a total and elemental war of nations which would not lend itself to cunning arrangements.

For another, Great Britain and America are, like Russia, not European powers, and their actions will be determined primarily by their interest in their own vital security throughout the world. They will bear it in mind that a strong Russia checks the two powers which threaten their security—namely Germany and Japan—and that a strong Russia in the land mass of the Eurasian continent is for the calculable future no threat to the security on the sea and in the air of the English-speaking nations and their natural allies.

THUS the only place where Germany can hope to exploit with some effect the fear of a Russian victory is in continental Europe. It would be a mistake to deny this. But having recognized it, let us be as lucid as we can be about the nature of the Communist danger in Central and Western Europe.

It exists because a large part of continental Europe has been unable in the past 20 years to govern itself successfully by democratic means. Internal problems have been unmanageable, and defense against external aggression has been a failure. As a result there are three choices for many, though not all, of the European states. One is to try fascism. A second is to try communism. A third is to try to regenerate their democratic systems.

There can be no doubt that the mass of the people of Western Europe are deeply imbued with the European tradition which seeks freedom under law. They would, therefore, greatly prefer the democratic way. But if for some reason that way is closed to them, then it is certain that a terrible civil struggle will ensue between quasi-Fascist regimes supported by the privileged classes and quasi-Communist movements in the masses of the people.

IF THAT civil struggle is precipitated,—and if at the same time Britain and America have been made antagonistic to Russia's demands for the security of her western borders,—if, further, Britain and America are maneuvered into the support of a quasi-Fascist regime in Germany, France, Italy, Hungary and elsewhere,—then we may be sure that Russia will exert all her power and prestige on the side of the mass revolt. That will be for Russia the defense of her national security but for the rest of us it will be the road to chaos. The peace will be lost for this generation, and an ordered future will be denied to us.

That is why the prestige of the western democracies must not be destroyed by commitments to support, except as the most temporary military expedients, quasi-Fascist regimes in Europe. That is the reason why the explanations and the moral climate produced by the inspired comment about North African politics have been infinitely more important and more disturbing than the mere expedients and the personalities and the little details. If what had to be done, or even what men on the spot honestly thought had to be done, had been left at the level of a military operation, and had not been adopted in the eyes of the world as a triumph of American diplomacy, we should not be threatened, as we are threatened, with the loss of our political prestige in Western Europe and in the whole free world. And if we were not faced with the impairment of the prestige of the democracies, the awful danger of civil war in Europe between quasi-Fascist regimes and Communist mass movements would be much less serious than in fact it now is.

Canada Gets Another Road

Under U.S. Construction

Ottawa, Feb. 1 (Canadian Press). Construction by United States forces of a new highway north of the Peace River to Mackenzie River in the Canadian Northwest was disclosed in the House of Commons today.

(The Peace River rises in northeast British Columbia and flows eastward to Lake Athabasca in Alberta. The Great Slave Lake, about 180 miles north of Lake Athabasca, is the source of the Mackenzie River, which flows northwestward to the Beaufort Sea.)

A question asked by John R. MacNicol, Progressive Conservative member for Toronto, brought out the fact the building was under way. This route is in addition to the Alaska Highway, which runs through northern Alberta and British Columbia, the Yukon Territory and Alaska.

MacNicol said the highway is being built from the Peace River to Providence, which lies at the head of the Mackenzie River where it runs out of the western end of the Great Slave Lake. The width and other specifications of the roadway were not disclosed.

YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAX

No. 22

Income From Annuities

Annuities have become a popular form of investment in recent years, and because of the nature of annuity income especial treatment is required in the preparation of a Federal income tax return.

Several forms of annuities are found, but the most common are annuity contracts issued by insurance companies. An endowment insurance policy may be payable to the beneficiary in monthly or annual sums for a period stipulated in the policy, frequently for the life of the beneficiary; or a person may purchase, for a flat sum, an annuity policy from an insurance company which provides him with a monthly or annual income for life. In such annuity contracts, a portion of the payments received represents interest on the sum or sums paid for the policy or contract, and a portion represents a gradual return of the principal to the annuitant. Only that portion of the payments which represents interest on the cost of the policy or contract is taxable income, and for purposes of uniformity the law provides that this portion shall be considered as 3 per cent of the cost until there has been excluded from gross income an amount equal to the principal sum paid for the policy. Thereafter, the entire amount of the annuity is taxable income.

Annuity income, accordingly, must be reported in the Federal income tax return, whether the annuity is a gift received from someone else, or received as the proceeds, to a beneficiary, of a life insurance policy issued to another.

If the annuity derives from a straight annuity contract, then the cost to be shown would be the amount of the single premium paid for the policy. If the annuity is received by the policyholder of an endowment insurance contract, payable in installments to the policyholder, then the cost is the sum of the premiums paid for the policy.

In addition to the cost of the policy, as stated above, there must be considered the amount of the annuity income received during the year. The portion of this annuity income which is taxable, namely 3 per cent of the cost of the policy, is the amount to be entered in item 7 of the return Form 1040; the balance is nontaxable and is to be applied against the cost of the policy. When the taxpayer has received nontaxable income in this manner equaling the cost of the policy, thereafter the whole annuity income each year must be entered as taxable income in item 7 of return Form 1040.

The principles set forth above for the treatment of annuity income apply also to retirement income, annuity pensions, and other forms of annuities. In the case of retirement income and pensions, where no payments have been made for the income, then the whole amount of the income is taxable (except for pensions to war veterans and their families).

P.-T. A. Meets Tomorrow

The executive committee of the Groveton P.-T. A. will meet tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. in the school auditorium, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Russell Keller, publicity chairman. The program for the rest of the year will be discussed with Helen Hurttle, principal.

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Wartime Washington

By Merlo Pusey

Commander For The Home Front

JIMMIE BYRNES emerged last week in the role of assistant President. That significant fact didn't get into the headlines, but it could be easily discerned by anyone who cared to look behind the settlement of the synthetic rubber controversy. This protracted and acrimonious row was settled by what was described as a "White House decision." Actually, however, the decision was made while the President was on his historic trip to Africa and South America. During his absence Mr. Byrnes was on the job at the White House, where he has his headquarters as Director of Economic Stabilization. The only reasonable assumption is that Mr. Byrnes settled the rubber dispute as the President's representative.

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There is nothing strange about this development. It is a natural outgrowth of the staggering burden of responsibility that the war has imposed upon the President. No one man could, possibly direct the fighting of a global war and at the same time iron out all of the conflicts that arise out of our mobilization on the home front. A large part of the President's wartime responsibility must necessarily be delegated to assistants. It is a matter of national good fortune that he has found an executive as capable as Jimmie Byrnes to step into the role of assistant President.

So far as official organization is concerned, however, Mr. Byrnes is only one of many czars that the President has appointed to direct different segments of the war effort. His specialty is the battle against inflation. The executive order creating his Office of Economic Stabilization instructs him to formulate a "comprehensive national economic policy relating to the control of civilian purchasing power, prices, rents, wages, salaries, profits, rationing, subsidies, and all related matters . . ." Of course, the control of inflation touches almost every other domestic problem growing out of the war. Still the executive order gives no hint that Mr. Byrnes is to become a sort of high commander for the entire home front.

APPARENTLY the chief of the OES has been forced into the role of home-front commander by circumstances. Someone has to iron out conflicts among the numerous czars in Washington. No one seems better qualified for that job than Mr. Byrnes. He has the confidence of the President and the people. He is a man of intelligence, administrative skill, and wide experience in public life. In the vernacular, he makes a swell sub-President. Still if he is to serve as commander on the home front, the powers that be ought to say so.

At present when Mr. Byrnes goes beyond his own bailiwick of economic stabilization; he appears to function as a top trouble shooter for the President. In other words, he becomes a sort of off-again on-again home-front commander without any well defined powers or responsibilities. That is far from being a satisfactory arrangement.

Now the need for a real, full-fledged home-front commander is obvious to anyone who will take the trouble to examine the existing galaxy of subcommanders. We have powerful czars in control of manpower, transportation, shipping, price ceilings, credit, critical materials and the production of war equipment. We have czars for the control of rubber, food and fuel. Two of these czars are members of the Cabinet. All the others are not. There is no means of fitting all their activities into one general pattern, except the hit-or-miss settlement of disputes through the President or a special trouble shooter.

In the circumstances it is amazing that clashes are not more numerous than they are. But the final flaring of interagency rows, like those between the armed forces and Rubber Czar Jeffers or those between Credit Czar Jones and the BEW, are only part of the story. The reluctance of some administrators to raise controversial issues because there is no routine method of getting them settled is probably an even more serious drag on the war effort than the open fights that force a showdown.

I SUSPECT that one reason we do not yet have a manpower policy compatible with total war is that WMC Director McNutt is afraid of stepping on someone's toes. At best the practice of appointing czars in numerous spheres of wartime activity and leaving them to fight out their differences will lead to a lopsided program. For the strong-minded executives will grab an inordinate share of our limited materials and manpower or will obtain undue favoritism for their projects at the expense of others. The need for some control mechanism to keep the home front working toward a single objective is scarcely less obvious than the need of a President at the head of the executive branch of the Government.

A forward-looking group in Congress is once more attempting to set up such a home-front command. Its efforts have been greatly strengthened by the fact that the Administration has found it necessary to use former Senator and former Justice Byrnes in just such a role in some specific cases. Why shouldn't his position as assistant wartime President in charge of the home front be regularized? Certainly he could be far more useful settling disputes as they arise and in compelling routine teamwork among the czars if he were given a clear-cut assignment under an act of Congress.

Of course, it would not be for Congress to say who the home-front commander should be. But the fact that a man of Mr. Byrnes' caliber is now struggling with our foremost home-front problems on a shoestring of authority should encourage Congress to give the war mobilization bill a favorable place on its legislative calendar.

Enrollment Of Women

Postoffices To Help

Postal carriers will distribute the War Manpower Commission's forms for voluntary registration of women over 18 for war work, the Post Office Department reported yesterday.

The areas where registration are conducted will be determined by the local WMC directors, and even these area registrations will be put off until virtually all other means of meeting labor shortages in war industry areas have been exhausted, the WMC said.

When WMC officials determine enrollment of women is to be conducted in a particular area, they are to fix the dates for delivery of the forms with the postmasters whose officers serve that area.

The Post Office Department said the deliveries might extend over a period of 10 days to avert interference with ordinary postal functions, but should not be made by carriers on the first two days or last two days of the month.

It provided that carriers should leave one form at each household on their routes "unless they have reason to believe that two or more women over 18 years of age reside in a household, in which case a form for each woman should be delivered.

"The forms should not be delivered to offices, stores, factories or any other place of business," the department said.

Collection of the forms after they have been filled out and follow-up interviews for job placement of women who have advised they were willing and able to perform war work will be undertaken by the Manpower Commission.

U. S. Nurses Ignore Glamour in Desert

Cairo, Feb. 1 (AP).—Objecting to being "glamorized," six American nurses arrived yesterday at an advanced desert landing ground as the first group to do field duty in Africa.

Acting Chief Nurse Josephine Mele said: "We are up here to work and we don't want any glamour about it." Despite a cold driving rain, the entire camp turned out to welcome the nurses, the first American women many of the boys had seen in months.

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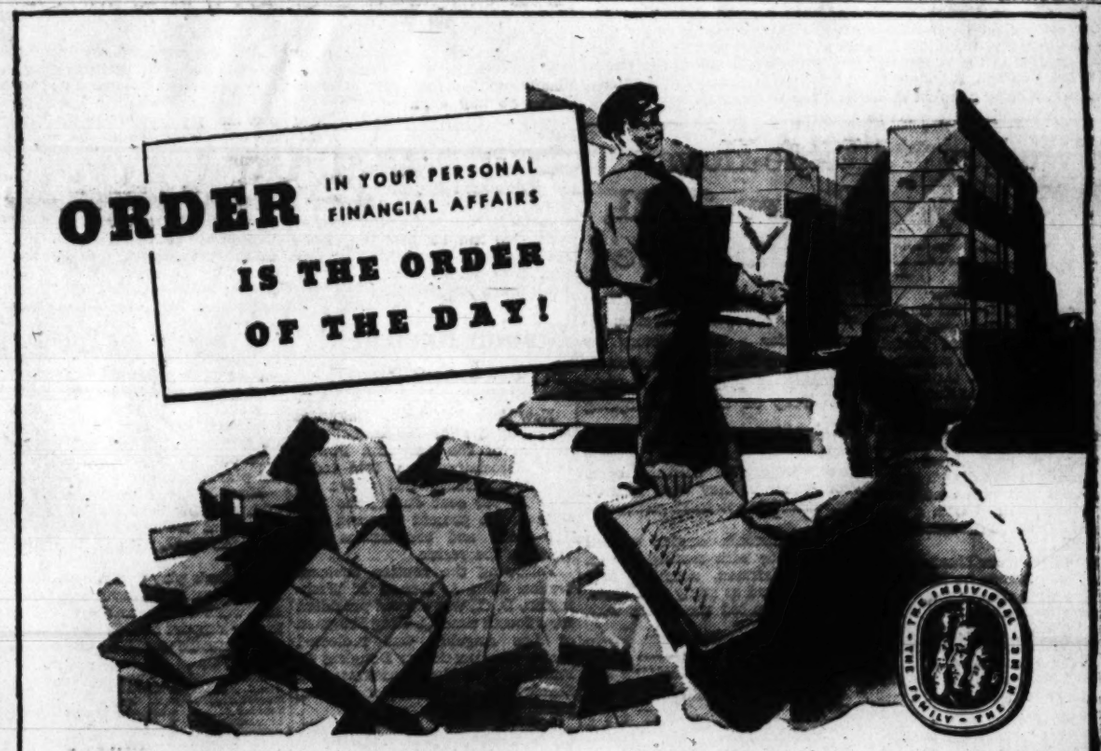

EVERYONE is going to have to carry a lot of extra packages this year: tremendously higher Income Taxes, the 5% Victory Tax, War Bonds, and a rising cost of living. Most people are going to have to carry 2-ton loads on 1½-ton trucks. And it is going to be an uphill haul over a rough road.

A business-like budget is therefore more important than ever. Only by working out a careful and orderly arrangement for your personal financial affairs . . . just as the experienced truck operator does in putting a capacity load of packages on his truck . . . will you be able to make the grade.

So figure up exactly how much it will take to pay what you owe now and the things that will be coming due in the next twelve months . . . taxes, bills, and insurance premiums. Then, for whatever help you need in setting up a business-like plan for meeting your obligations, come to *"The Bank for the Individual."* It may be that a bank loan, to be repaid over a convenient number of months, would help distribute the load to best advantage for you and level out the bumps in the road ahead.

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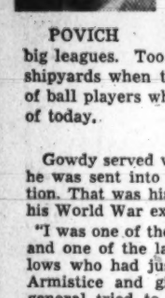
This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Some sort of special medal should be struck off by organized baseball and presented to Hank Gowdy, who rejoined the Army the other day. He went in this time with the two bars of a captain, at the age of 53, but as Pvt. Hank Gowdy in 1917 the big catcher originally put baseball in his debt.



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A few days after America entered the last World War Gowdy tossed his catching equipment into his locker at Cincinnati, where the Braves were playing, and in a little speech to his teammates said, in effect: "Goodby, boys, I'm through. I'm joining the Army today, and it would be a nice idea for a lot of you guys to come with me." Gowdy was the first man out of baseball's ranks to join up.

Baseball owed some gratitude to Gowdy. He was with the A. E. F. in France when the call to arms was still proving very embarrassing to the big leagues. Too many of its ball players were seeking a refuge in shipyards when the "Work or Fight" order came. The proportion of ball players who went into the armed services was far below that of today.

Gowdy served with distincton in France and at the end of the war he was sent into Germany with the United States Army of occupation. That was his only gripe when we talked to him recently about his World War experiences.

"I was one of the first Americans to enlist after the start of the war, and one of the last to be mustered out," complained Gowdy. "Fellows who had just arrived in France were shipped home after the Armistice and given their honorable discharges. My commanding general tried to get me out of Germany and send me home but somehow he couldn't work it out. The part I didn't like was that it was costing me a lot of many. I had a $10,000 contract with the Braves waiting for me whenever I could get back to work.

"It wasn't a total loss, though," said Gowdy. "I lost about $7,000 in baseball pay, but they named a baseball field after me in Fort Benning, Ga., after the war—Gowdy Field. I appreciated the honor, but that didn't put any dough into my pocket."

It would not be exactly remiss, either, if the baseball fans of Washington presented Gowdy with some kind of a medal. He was responsible, in part, for the only world series championship a Washington team ever won. That was in 1924 when Gowdy was catching for the New York Giants in the world series with the Nats.

Gowdy was an old-timer in 1924, but he was still the best catcher on the Giants' squad, and he was behind the bat in every game of that seven-game series. It was in the seventh game that misfortune befell Hank and swung the series to the Nats.

Earl McNeely's famed "pebble hit" that bounded over Third Baseman Freddy Lindstrom's head and drove in Muddy Ruel with the winning run in the twelfth inning is the most-remembered episode of that world series. But without a previous contribution by Gowdy, that hit may never have occurred.

A few minutes before, with the score tied and nobody on base, Ruel was at bat for the Nats. Jack Bentley, pitching for the Giants, had no great reason to fear Ruel. In fact, Ruel had not made a hit in the entire series to that point. And when he popped up one of Bentley's pitches high behind the plate, Ruel was apparently out.

Ruel's pop-up was ordinarily duck-soup for Gowdy, and the 35,000 fans in the park counted Ruel out when big Hank tossed off his mask and waited, with mitt ready, for the ball to descend. And then, Ye Gods! Gowdy, ready to make the catch, stepped on the mask he had tossed to the ground, stumbled, fell and dropped the ball, for an error.

Whereupon Ruel, reprieved, banged out his first hit of the series—a two-bagger—and was in scoring position when McNeely's hit bounced off Lindstrom's head. The Nats had Gowdy to thank for that world series.

Ten years before, though, Gowdy had been a world series hero. He was the catcher for the Boston Braves in their amazing spurt from the cellar to the pennant. The Braves went on to upset the Athletics in four straight in the world series, with Gowdy handling the pitching of Dick Rudolph, Bill James and George Tyler, and finding time, too, to swat a home run that didn't hurt the Braves any.

Auker Deal Canceled; Trade Fails

Clark Griffith announced last night that he had sold Pitcher Paul Dean to the St. Louis Browns for an undisclosed amount of cash as an aftermath to the original deal which sent Dean and $10,000 to the Browns for Elden Auker. Auker since announced his retirement from baseball to work in a Detroit defense plant.

Griffith, Manager Ossie Bluege and Donald Barnes, president of the Browns, were in conference througout the afternoon yesterday in Griffith's office but Barnes could not be persuaded to part with any of the pitchers from his third-place club which fitted into the Nats' president's plans.

Barnes brought final word from Auker that he was through with baseball, for the duration at least, and had asked to be placed on the voluntary retired list.

Dean Cost $7500

The Nats obtained Dean from Sacramento for $7500 at the winter draft meeting. The youngest of the famous brother pichting team of the St. Louis Cardinals was owned by the Pacific Coast League club but pitched for Houston last year and was one of the leading hurlers of the Texas League in his most recent comeback.

The Auker-for-Dean-and-cash deal was automatically off when the submarine ball hurler announced his retirement, but Barnes made it known that he still wanted Dean, whom the Browns' president figured would still be a drawing card with St. Louis fans. Griffith was not anxious to keep Dean after the trade had once been announced, even though it fell through, but he wanted another player in Auker's place.

Griff and Bluege dickered for virtually every pitcher on Manager Luke Sewell's staff, and would have settled for an infielder or outfielder, but they could not reach an agreement with Barnes and finally settled for cash. Griffith hopes to buy a pitcher with the money he received from the Dean sale.

Daffy Dean started his once brilliant career with the St. Louis Cardinals but faded out with a bum arm. The Giants tried him in a comeback role but soon released him. He had his best year since his days with the Cards last season, however, and was sought by several big league clubs.

Georgetown's Danny Kraus Forces a Syracuse Error

Post Staff Photo

Syracuse was guilty of many bobbles in the Georgetown game last night, with the Hoyas forcing most of them. Here Danny Kraus, the Hoyas' outstanding guard, makes Ed Mogish of the Orange give up the ball and they go for it. G. U. won, 65-38

Danny Kraus, Mahnken Top Exhibition

By Merrell W. Whittlesey
Post Staff Writer

Georgetown turned in a job of basketball perfection if there ever was one last night as the hot-handed Hoyas handed a dazed Syracuse club a 65-to-38 lacing in Tech High before 2200 fans who roared approval.

Danny Kraus, who looks more and more like one of the finest college courtmen ever to perform locally, and Big John Mahnken, the 6-foot-8 poker-faced center, came up with two beautiful performances, but the entire Hoya outfit was great. Mahnken scored 25 points.

The Syracuse club, fresh from an 1-point victory over Temple, Georgetown's only conqueror in the collegiate ranks, was never in the ball game. Georgetown's sensational play prompted the veteran Orange coach, Lew Andreas, to remark "how in the world did that team ever lose to Temple?" It was one of Syracuse's worst defeats in years.

Kraus Shines

Kraus made only 7 points but he must have totaled a dozen assists with a trick passing demonstration which completely baffled the Syracuse players as Mahnken and Andy Kostecka came up with his bullet-like whips time and again and tucked the ball in the basket.

Mahnken was marvelous under and around the basket; Billy Hassett came up with a dashing brand of midcourt wor and play-making; Kostecka was starring from his usual circle and in part-time roles Danny Gabbianelli counted on three turn-around shots and Miggs Reilly gave the Orangemen lots of trouble.

Hassett and Kostecka started by dumping in neat shots from the side and then Kraus whipped two fast balls to Mahnken who dropped in two-pointers and the Hoyas were ahead, 8-0. Syracuse had taken two time outs in this short period. Syracuse rallied late in the first period to reduce Georgetown's margin to 19-15 at one time but the next 12 points were in the Georgetown column as they took to halftime with a 26-15 margin and boosted it to 31 before Syracuse scored.

Slow Second Half

After toying with the visitors early in the second half, Georgetown suddenly got hot and rolled up the points before reserves took over.

The bigger Syracuse club had a star performer in Bill Gabor who accounted for 23 points, several of his baskets of the circus variety. Reds Stanton, a local boy and son of CAA Administrator Charles I. Stanton, accounted for seven points and helped out off the backboard.

In addition to Kraus' fancy offensive tactics the tireless sophomore from New York was bothering the Syracuse players with continual hand-waving and face making which caused them to drop the ball and lose it several times.

Mahnken, who took another physical beating with his under the basket work, outmaneuvered his coverers and was there on folo shots the hard way when he wasn't taking Kraus' passes.

Georgetown.	G	FG	P	Syracuse.	G	FG	P
Kostecka,f.	7	1	15	Shaddoch,f.	0	1	1
Hyde,f.	0	0	0	DiPace,f.	0	1	1
Potolicchio,f.	1	0	2	Ferris,f.	2	0	4
Reilly,f.	1	0	2	McTiernan,f.	0	0	0
Hanerty,f.	0	0	0	Sylvestri,f.	0	0	0
Mahnken,c.	11	3	25	Stanton,c.	3	1	7
O'Donnell,c.	0	0	0	Peters,c.	0	0	0
Kraus,g.	3	1	7	Mogish,g.	0	2	2
Feener,g.	0	0	0	Glacken,g.	0	0	0
Hassett,g.	4	0	8	Gabor,g.	9	5	23
Gabbianelli,g.	3	0	6	Mariasshin,g.	0	0	0
				Emerich,g.	0	0	0
Totals	30	5	65	Totals	14	10	38

Score at half—Georgetown, 26-15. Officials—Enright (Baltimore) and Menton (Baltimore).

Cards Upset W. Md. Quint By 55-42 Count

Catholic University's five iron men, including Dick Scanlan with his badly sprained ankle, turned in one of the major upsets of the Mason Dixon Conference race last night by beating Western Maryland, 55 to 42, last night in the C. U. gym.

The teams played for 35 of the 40 minutes within three points, first one taking command and then the other, until with 5 minutes to play and the score 42-39 the Cards hit upon a hot hand and ran up a 13-point margin of victory.

Scanlan, his ankle expertly taped by Trainer Herman Lauritzen, came up with another 20-point performance with Fred Rice next with 15. Steve Limanek and Johnny Mercak played their usula 40 minutes with newcomer Bob Nelson coming up with his beat game, using his 6 feet 3 for a ball-hawking role.

Ed Mogowski and Frank Suffern paced the Terors as the game see-sawed in the first half with C. U. holding a 26-24 margin at intermission. The second half went the same way until C. U. found its hot hand. Western Maryland used only six players, all but Kaplan playing without substitution.

Mercak and Limanek came up with help for Scanlan and Rice in the point making column which provided C. U. with its margin of victory.

Scanlan's play was remarkable as he was forced to leave both games last week as his ankle would no longer support him. It was thought for a time he would be lost for the season.

Catholic	G	FG	P	Western Maryland	G	FG	P
Rice,f.	7	1	15	Suffern,f.	6	0	12
Mercak,f.	5	2	12	Kaplan,f.	1	1	3
Scanlan,c.	8	4	20	Fulakowski,f	0	0	0
Limanek,g.	3	2	8	Mogowski,c.	7	3	17
Nelson,g.	0	0	0	Robinson,g.	3	0	6
				Lodge,g.	2	0	4
Totals	23	9	55	Totals	19	4	42

Score at half, 26-24 (C. U.)
Referee, Menton; umpire, Keppel.

Conway Beats Knox For Eighth Straight

By Al Costello
Post Staff Writer

Client Conway, 180, the Fort Dix soldier out of Newark, N. J., scored his eighth straight professional victory last night at Turner's Arena before 1991 paying customers, defeating Corpl. Buddy Knox, 198, of Bolling Field in a tough 8-round fight that the Conway contingent had figured to be another "spot" for the lanky Negro boy.

Knox, fighting at 198, was far from his best shape, but at that, he put up a pretty fair exhibition against Conway, who was supposed to carry dynamite in both fists. The only real difference between the boys was the terrific way, but in justice to him, he advantage in reach enjoyed by Conused that advantage to the utmost.

Conway Jabs and Jabs

Conway jabbed and jabbed and occasionally tried to get in his devastating punches, but the wily Knox, once rated in the first 10 among the country's heavyweights, refused to be "suckered" and was there at the final bell despite taking a constant rain of punches which were more good in piling up the judges' points than inflicting bodily damages.

When he tried to get inside, where he figured to do the most damage, Buddy was forestalled constantly.

There was no danger of a kayo at any time for either boy. The decision was unanimous and earned. The gate totaled $2207, a surprisingly fine turnout.

Petro Stops Stewart

In an eight round semifinal that should have been the main go and will probably go down as the greatest fight of the indoor season, Danny Petro, 126, the "Walloping Wop" from Southeast, scored an eight round T. K. O. victory over Wayman Stewart, 123, Washington Negro, in 1:24 of the final round.

At the conclusion of the furious action, both Petro and Stewart were dispatched to hospitals for treatment to damaged eyes. Blood flowed copiously in the last five rounds.

Petro had two cut eyes at the finish and Stewart was badly cut over the right eye in the second. In the second Petro survived a knockout when Stewart pummeled his mid-section without mercy. In the seventh, Stewart went down three times and twice more in the eighth before Referee Eddie LaFond stopped the battle.

Petro, who is a southpaw, threw less than half a dozen right-hand punches throughout and Stewart, who holds a decision over Lew Hanbury, tossed less than three lefts. It was strictly a slugging match from start to finish and the guy with the harder punch and more stamina won.

Lewis Gets Draw

Roy Lewis, 134, the local knockout artist, found Sailor Taffey Cummings, 140, of the Royal British Navy, too tough for his sleeping potion speciality, but took every round to easily win the six-round decision. For reason, Referee Marty Gallagher called it a draw; Judge Dr. O. U. Singer cast his vote for Lewis and Judge Bob Eller gave it to Cummings. There was nothing else to do but officially call it a draw, but Lewis must have felt like King Albert after the Nazis had taken over Belgium, it was really that bad.

Billy Reed, 130, Indianapolis former Golden Glove champion, won his first fight start since his one-round kayo at the hands of Danny Petro by taking a six-round decision from Paddy Murphy, 131, of the Royal British Navy, without too much trouble.

Al Cortez, 159, Baltimore, scored a six-round decision over Floyd Grayson, 160, Washington, in the opener.

Durocher Due For Physical Exam Today

By the Associated Press

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Leo "the Lip" Durocher, 37-year-old manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, has an important engagement with his draft board in St. Louis tomorrow.

If Uncle Sam doesn't want him, Leo the Lip is ready to play a lot of baseball this season. He's anxious to do it. He was pronounced physically perfect after a checkup at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn. He suffered from an influenza attack last December during the baseball meetings here and was slow to regain his strength.

"But I feel grand now," Durocher said. "They got through with me at the clinic in four days but I spent an extra week up there doing a lot of skating and enjoying winter sports."

Durocher wants to learn his military status at once. He has no doubt about passing the physical examination, but may be deferred because of his age and the fact he is married and has a daughter, although his wife is not dependent because she is an expert in dress designing.

The manager of the Dodgers plans to leave for New York Wednesday to confer with Branch Rickey, new president of the Brooklyn club. Durocher says he plans to report at West Point on March 1, to help coach the cadet baseball team and then join the Dodgers, who will be in spring training at nearby Bear Mountain, N. Y.

Nonmember Play Asked For D.C. Clubs

The District Golf Association last night recommended that all member clubs open their courses to members of association clubs who live in the vicinity and cannot reach their own courses due to the gas ban. The plan will be taken under advisement by the individual clubs.

The present slate of officers was retained, Dr. A. T. Utz, Indian Spring, president; Harry G. Pitt, Manor, first vice president; Leopold V. Freudberg, Woodmont, second vice president, and Dr. W. C. Barr, Indian Spring, secretary. Dr. Barr, paid secretary of the golf body for nearly 30 years, offered his services gratis for the season.

Members voted to suspend the $25 dues of the 15 member clubs for tournaments. Should conditions for the season and made no plans change, tournaments may be sponsored.

One position on the executive committee was left vacant with the resignation of C. Ashmead Fuller. Other members will continue to serve, Comdr. G. K. Heiss, Army and Navy; Ralph Fowler, Washington.

A majority of the clubs were represented at the meeting at the University Club.

Northwestern Beaten By Illinois, 68 to 51

Champaign, Ill., Feb. 1 (AP).—Art Mathisen scored 18 points and Andy Philips added 15 as Illinois won its fifth straight Big Ten basketball game tonight by whipping Northwestern, 68 to 51.

Bill Dudley Gets Call by Army Air Corps

By the Associated Press

Pittsburgh, Feb. 1.—Bill Dudley, sensational rookie halfback of the Pittsburgh Steelers, said tonight he had been ordered to report for duty with the U. S. Army Air Corps. He had enlisted October 2.

Dudley, who won the ground gaining championship and was named to the all-league team in his first season of professional football, stopped in Pittsburgh for a few minutes' visit with Steeler officials, then entrained with a contingent of Air Corps candidates for Miamia, Fla.

He came here from Bluefield, W. Va., his home, where he had been staying since the all-star game with the Washington Redskins in Philadelphia, in which the former University of Virginia flash scampered 97 yards for a touchdown with an intercepted pass to help the All-Stars to a 17-14 upset victory.

Cards' Cooper Brothers Sign

By the Associated Press

St. Louis, Feb. 1.—The Cooper brothers battery of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals—Pitcher Mort and Cather Walker—signed their 1943 contracts today.

President Sam Breadon, following the usual custom did not disclose what each was paid but he did say both got increases.

Mort won 22 and lost 7 last year, leading the club into a National League pennant, but was unable to win in the World Series with the Yankees. Walker batted .281 for the regular season.

Caddock to Wrestle Ace Freeman Here

Dick Caddock, a local boy, has been given the assignment to wrestle Ace Freeman, popular Wisconsin grappler, in a special 30-minute bout on tomorrow night's show at Turner's Arena.

Caddock and Freeman will grapple in support of the feature scrap between Emil Dusek of Nebraska and Johnny Long of Baltimore.

Little Hoyas Beaten, 29-21, By Blair Five

A second quarter in which they held their opponents scoreless accounted for a 29-21 victory for Montgomery Blair High basketeers yesterday as they faced Georgetown Prep on the Silver Spring court.

After one session the hosts trailed, 8-9, but they quickly soared to a 17-9 halftime edge. From there in they were assured their fifth triumph in 12 games this season.

Bill McDaniels, center, walked off the floor with scoring honors for the Blairmen, notching four field goals and as many foul shots. Buddy Spiess led the losers with 11 points.

G'town Prep.	G	FG	P	Blair.	G	FG	P
Speiss,f.	4	3	11	Clarke,f.	3	0	6
O'Donnell,f.	4	0	8	Davis,f.	0	0	0
Wilmot,f.	0	0	0	Schrider,f.	3	0	6
Healy,f.	1	0	2	Bergman,c.	0	0	0
Nicolaides,c.	0	0	0	McDaniels,c.	4	4	12
Bourz,g.	0	0	0	Ross,g.	0	0	0
Scott,g.	0	0	0	O'Connor,g.	1	3	5
Foley,g.	0	0	0	Maxwell,g.	0	0	0
Totals	9	3	21	Totals	11	7	29

Dodgers Obtain Red's Infielder

New York, Feb. 1 (AP).—The Brooklyn Dodgers announced today that they had obtained Infielder Steve Mesner from the Cincinnati Reds on waivers.

Mesner, 25, married and a father, is a former St. Louis Cardinal farmhand who batted .301 for Sacramento in the Pacific Coast League last year. He was drafted by the Reds in November, but apparently as the result of their deal for Shortstop Eddie Miller in December, the Reds subsequently asked for waivers.

Pep Signed to Box Davey Crawford

Boston, Feb. 1 (AP).—Willie Pep of Hartford, Conn., recognized by the New York Boxing Commission as featherweight champion, has been signed to meet Davey Crawford of Brooklyn, N. Y., in Boston February 11 in a nontitle ten round bout.

Revised American Hockey Schedule

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 1 (AP). The American Hockey League's revised schedule covering a period until February 16 was announced today by President Maurice Podoloff. The changes were necessitated by the withdrawal of New Haven several weeks ago.

Alternate slates from February 16 through the end of the season await final approval.

The revised schedule until February 16: February 3, Hershey at Cleveland, Indianapolis at Pittsburgh; 4, Pittsburgh at Indianapolis, Providence at Buffalo, Hershey at Cleveland; 6, Indianapolis at Cleveland, Hershey at Pittsburgh, Buffalo at Washington; 7, Hershey at Indianapolis, Washington at Buffalo, Cleveland at Providence; 9, Cleveland at Hershey; 10, Washington at Cleveland; 11, Cleveland at Indianapolis, Pittsburgh at Buffalo, Hershey at Providence; 13, Hershey at Cleveland, Washington at Pittsburgh; 14, Washington at Indianapolis, Hershey at Buffalo, Pittsburgh at Providence.

G. U. Riflemen Bow

Riflemen of Georgtown University suffered their first beating of the year Sunday night when the Marine Corps Headquarters team topk an 1103-to-1098 victory. Sergt. Maj. Ed Hamilton led the servicemen with a 280 out of 300 score.

Md. Race Meeting Reset Thursday

Baltimore, Feb. 1.—A meeting of the Maryland racing commissioner with Gov. Herbert O'Conor and officers of the ODT, at which the future of wartime horse racing in the State was to have been decided, has been postponed until Thursday it was announced here tonight.

Meanwhile the board of governors of the Maryland Horsemen's Protective Association, who had not been invited to participate in the meet, put in a strong plea for a bid. In a session yesterday the body resolved to cooperate to the fullest extent, even to operating at a loss if necessary. The important thing, it was agreed, is to keep racing going at any expense.

Sports Editor Dies

Philadelphia, Feb. 1 (AP).—Robert J. French, 37, executive sports editor of the Philadelphia Inquirer, died in a hospital here tonight. He was stricken with cerebral meningitis a week ago.

Scores

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Georgetown, 65; Syracuse, 38.
Catholic U., 55; Western Maryland, 42.
Ashland, 51; Heidelberg, 49.
Dartmouth, 66; Columbia, 44.
L. I. U., 109; American International, 47.
Missouri Mines, 51; C. Mo. State, 42.
Peru (Ind.), 48; Earlham, 43.
Texas A. & M., 59; Baylor, 45.
Great Lakes, 63; St. Joseph's, 28.
Illinois, 68; Northwestern, 51.
Oklahoma, 46; Iowa State, 37.
N. C. State, 69; Clemson, 34.
Davidson, 57; North Carolina, 41.
Calvin, 59; Assumption, 28.
Michigan Normal, 34; Albion, 26.
Centre College, 49; Transylvania, 39.
Georgetown (Ky.)-College, 43; Morehead (Ky.) State Teachers College, 41.
Camp Upton, 58; Fort Monmouth, 54.
Kansas State, 53; Washburn, 24.
Tennessee, 48; Xavier, 28.
Bradley, 53; Washington U. (St. L.), 42.
High Point Col., 47; Randolph-Macon, 37.
Alabama, 50; Mississippi, 40.
Evansville, 64; Central Normal, 43.
Kentucky, 54; Vanderbilt, 45.

Six Schoolboy Games Carded This Afternoon

One of the youngest but most heated sports rivalries in town will be renewed today when Wilson High, a contender in the interhigh basketball series, sends its quintet to St. Albans for a 4 o'clock game.

The Saints, entered in the Interstate Academic Conference, won the last meeting between the schools. That was in football last fall when they eked out a 6-0 margin over one of the finest elevens in Wilson history.

St. Albans will go into today's game a favorite, though not a long one. After playing shorthanded for several games, it is at full strength with the return of Earl Elliott and Jim Trimble to its line-up. Along with "Cotton" Smith, last year's star at Sidwell-Friends, this pair is expected to furnish the clever Tigers a terrific battle.

Five other interesting outings mark today's schedule, topped by St. John's clash with Anacostia on the latter's floor. It will be a warm-up for St. John's for tomorrow's game with Eastern.

Bethesda-Chevy Chase also plays the first of two games in two days today, meeting Central as a preliminary to tomorrow's engagement with Western.

Friday the interhigh series will be resumed with Coolidge-Eastern and Wilson-Roosevelt games at Tech at 7:30. Saturday's double bill at the same site calls for Central-Tech and Western-Anacostia clashes.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

Wilson at St. Albans, 4.
Episcopal at Roosevelt, 4.
St. John's at Anacostia, 4.
Gonzaga at Tech, 3:30.
Bethesda at Central, 3:30.
Bullis at Washington-Lee, 4.

TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

Western at Bethesda, 3:30.
Georgetown Prep at Landon, 4.
St. John's at Eastern, 4.
Coolidge at G. W. High, 4.
Md. Park at Friends, 4.

Fair Grounds

Entries

By the Associated Press

FIRST RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds.

*Toujour	115	*Ethel Belle	103
Cuciosa	108	*Liberty Cloud	108
*Holly	105	*Auld Lang Syne	105
*Masculine	110	Hardwrack	120
*Hattie Belle	103	*Spring Drift	103
*Sidonia	110	*Show House	108
Barnegat	117	Laird's Cat	113

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

*My Mummy	105	Disinherit	110
*Boy's Idol	109	Catapult	115
*Black Walnut	108	Vain Captain	115
Tippi	115	Candlestick	117
Guess What	110	Valdina Captor	113
*Tusco	110	*Peggy's Advice	105
Miss Persel	110	Dodge City	124

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

*Cold Crack	112	*Sam Houston	109
Kansas City	120	†Air Sprite	113
Pete Jr.	120	*Farliana	110
*Mannmaid	106	*Wise Decision	114
*Study Period	110	*Liberty Cap	113
*La Joconde	113	La Zonga	116
Annie Alone	115	Bull Reigh	116
Challante	121	†Miss Daunt	118
Lady Flame	113		

*Mrs. R. P. Bonner entry.

FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs; purse, $1000; allowances; for 2-year-olds.

Lyonstown	115	Aunt Dell	117
Liberty Bon	115	Rapatelle	112
Block Buster	115	*New Frontier	110
Dancing Duke	115	*That's Easy	110
Rockwall	115	Judy A. J.	112
Fast Message	115	Millie Jean	112
Dog Daze	112	Red Rebel	115
Valdina Royal	115	Chancevire	112
Valdina Ranger	115	Buy Line	117

FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

Rock Call	113	Top Straw	120
Camp's First	113	Real Sad	115
*Chance Cross	108		

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1000; allowances; for 3-year-olds.

Valdina Phao	113	Bill Sickle	116
*Lady Stardust	110	Chance Grey	116
*Colonial Miss	110	†Sportsman	113
†Nedco	113	Valdina Rex	113
*Prominette	106	Michael Orin	113
Jock's Play	113	Top Reward	113
*Sedgemoor	111	†Versenza	108
Star Bien	116	Spy Snare	120

†J. A. Bell, Jr., and King Ranch entry.
‡Dixiana entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

Be Calm	115	Venture Girl	108
*Crosslands	108	*Old Union	103
Favor	113	Mr. Infinity	113
*Paul R.	108	Miss Disical	103
*Be Sweet	107	Fatal Hour	108
*Red Ted	115	*J. Lee Greenock	108
Tower Miss	108	*Hope For	103
Straw Warning	113	†Fisher's Pet	105
Country Style	120	*Materialise	108

†E. Waltz and Mrs. Al Gaal entry.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

The Chord	118	Mad Bunny	112
One Jest	112	Mi Secret	112
Jay Bee Des	115	*Parade Ground	110
Halcyon Boy	117	†Red Mars	117
*Brutus	110	†Beauzar	117
*High Talent	114	Trapeze Artist	112
*Victory March	110	Sweet Olga	110
Franco Saxon	113	*Betty's Bobby	112
*Be Fast	108	Clarion Call II	113

YW. Gillis And La Cima Stable entry.
‡Apprentice allowance claimed.
Track fast.

Post's Consensus At Fair Grounds

BILL BENNINGS

1—Toujour, Liberty Cloud, Barnegat.
2—Candlestick, Catapult, Valdina Captor.
3—Kansas City, Lady Flame, La Joconde.
4—Rockwall, Valdina Royal, Red Rebel.
5—Top Straw, Real Sad, Chance Cross.
6—Lady Stardust, Sedzemoor, Valdina Rex.
7—Paul R., Mr. Infinity, Be Calm.
8—Mad Bunny, Halcyon Boy, One Jest.
Best bet—TOUJOUR.

LATE CONSENSUS (REVISED)

1—Toujour (16), Sidonia (12), Barnegat (10).
2—Catapult (17), Miss Persel (13), Candlestick (8).
3—La Joconde (15), Kansas City (12), Lady Flame (9).
4—Valdina Royal (17), Aunt Dell (10), Rockwall (8).
5—Top Straw (15), Chance Cross (13), Real Sad (12).
6—Lady Stardust (20), Chance Grey (11), Star Bien (8).
7—Favor (19), Be Calm (12), Red Ted (9).
8—Red Mars (16), Brutus (14), One Jest (7).

LOUISVILLE TIMES (AP)

1—Masculine, Toujour, Barnegat.
2—Candlestick, Tusco, Disinherit.
3—La Joconde, Miss Daunt, Wise Decision.
4—Aunt Dell, Valdina Ranger, Dog Daze.
5—Camp's First, Top Straw, Real Sad.
6—Top Reward, Valdina Phao, Star Bien.
7—Be Calm, Favor, Red Ted.
8—One Jest, Halcyon Boy, Mad Bunny.
Best bet—CAMP'S FIRST.

Bindman Picks

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Barnegat, Toujour, Hard Wrack.
2—Catapult, Black Walnut, Miss Persel.
3—Cold Crack, Challante, Miss Daunt.
4—Busy Line, Aunt Dell, Dancing Duke.
5—Real Sad, Top Straw, Chance Cross.
6—Star Bien, Bill Sickle, Prominette.
7—Be Calm, Favor, Red Ted.
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By Drew Pearson

Chiang Faces Growing Criticism at Home

IN the swank new United States Public Health Building, now vacated by yellow fever and bubonic plague experts to house the Allied chiefs of staff, is a small office occupied by Maj. Gen. Chu Shik-ming, Chinese military attache.

It is spick and span, the neatest office in the building. This is partly because it is almost empty. No one comes in, no one goes out. Inside sits a stenographer.

"I am gratetful to the United States for giving me this nice office," General Chu confides to friends, "and I also appreciate this nice stenographer. But I don't like to go to my office, for I don't want people to see how little work I have to do.

"At first it embarrassed me to have the stenographer sit there doing nothing. But now I keep her busy clipping newspaper articles about China."

That empty office illustrates what the Chinese call our empty-handed war policy toward China. It also gives one key to the mystery of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's refusal to join the Roosevelt-Churchill conference.

General Chu tells friends that he never expected to sit at the meetings of the top British and American strategists in Washington. But he did expect to participate in the meetings of lesser lights, including conferences to decide on allocation of munitions. However, the only door open to the Chinese is the Council of the Pacific, also attended by the Poles and General Giraud's representative, and conducted more or less like a tea party.

For a long time, domestic political resentment has increased against Chiang Kai-shek because his policy of United States friendship has netted no real returns. Recently rumors of these sentiments have grown to an ominous rumble. The powerful Governor of Yunnan Province in the south is at odds with Chiang. So is the Governor of Szechwan. In the northwest, the leader of the Mohammedans is grousing against Chiang's leadership.

They claim he is ruled by his "American" family. They are not impressed with the fact that the Soong sisters were graduated from Wesleyan or Wellesley. They don't care how popular the Soongs are with the American public. They only know that the Soongs have failed to produce. The munitions aren't flowing to China.

The Chinese don't realize the difficulties of supplying two vital war fronts—Russia and Africa. They also don't realize that Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, confined to an American hospital, has not been able to see the President. They only know that China has fought nearly six long years with little help in sight. So they take it out on Chiang Kai-shek, his American-educated wife and her sisters.

NOTE: Some high-placed Chinese hint that if Chiang Kai-shek had left China for the Roosevelt-Churchill meeting, political rivals would have moved into the generalissimo's palace before he got back.

Ford's Brother-in-Law

When Edel Ford's brother-in-law, Ernest C. Kanzler, packed his bags the other day and left the War Production Board, friends recalled a significant incident which took place some weeks before—and wondered if there was a connection.

Ferdinand Eberstadt, WPB vice chairman, had called a staff meeting. Eberstadt arrived half an hour late to his own meeting and, without taking a seat, announced that he was just back from New York, where he had discussed the WPB "controlled materials plan" with the National Association of Manufacturers, and was happy to report that they heartily approved it.

That was all. Still standing, Eberstadt asked if there were any questions. Kanzler got up and said he wanted to ask a question on another subject—Eberstadt's recent order that an executive of every company doing big business with WPB should be brought to Washington and kept here on tap.

"I assume," said Kanzler, who is president of Ford's Universal Credit Corp., "that you have in mind not a clerk or public relations man, but a responsible executive of the company?"

"You are correct," Eberstadt said briskly.

"Then I am obliged to take issue with you," said Kanzler. "This is hardly an efficient way to use the time of responsible officials—to require them to hang around Washington because we might want them one day in five."

Curtly Eberstadt responded, "I didn't ask for criticisms of that order. I enunciated it, and I expect it to be followed. Are there other questions?"

There were none and the meeting adjourned. Shortly thereafter Kanzler resigned.

NOTE—Though Eberstadt has stepped on official toes, he is generally given credit for speeding up the WPB.

New Tommy Corcoran

NO ANNOUNCEMENT has been made yet, but the President has a new "Tommy Corcoran"—astute young Joe Casey, ex-Congressman from Massachusetts. Make a note of him. He will play an important role backstage around Congress.

But where Tommy the Cork and Ben Cohen frequently rubbed Congress the wrong way, Casey's No. 1 job is to promote White House-congressional harmony.

Casey is also making some Q. T. surveys for the President. One of them is to see whether members of the War Production Board are deliberately slanting their actions to smear the New Deal.

Another Q. T. probe is of Elmer Davis' Office of War Information. Casey believes that shrewd, public-minded Davis could be of great value to the Administration if asked to pass on more Government moves in order to gauge their effect upon public opinion. Casey, therefore, may recommend that F. D. R. submit all directions and executive orders to Davis before release to the public.

On the congressional front, Casey plans more visits to the White House by bi-partisan groups, which may be able to give F. D. R. better advice than Harry Hopkins.

NOTE: So far Casey has refused to accept any salary, but is slated later for a post in Jimmy Byrnes' Office of Economic Stabilization.

FISH CAKES FOR TWO—During a pause in their pursuit of Rommel, two British Tommies cook fish cakes in Egypt.

Head of House FCC Inquiry Linked With Ga. Radio Station

By Dillard Stokes
Post Staff Writer

Representative Cox of Georgia—who is chairman of a House committee set up to investigate the Federal Communications Commission under a resolution introduced by him—was depicted in an FCC hearing yesterday as "Washington representative" of an Albany, Ga., radio station.

Before Examiner Donald M. Harris evidence was offered on the application of Station WALB, owned by the Albany Herald Publishing Co., for renewal of its license, a change in frequency and for other orders.

Over the objection of Delacey Allen, WALB lawyer, Examiner Harris allowed FCC Counsel Marcus Cohn to introduce two checks and a bank statement which disclosed how Representative Cox became the owner of 25 shares of WALB stock without apparent cost to himself.

The examiner also received a report on a conference between two FCC representatives and C. D. Tounsley, WALB secretary-treasurer, which was signed by all three. This report showed that the WALB company granted a power of attorney to Hugh C. McCarthy on November 3, 1941. McCarthy was to appear for WALB before the FCC at a hearing on an application for a new station at Tampa, Fla.

McCarthy was Cox's secretary.

"This particular assignment," said the report, "was handled for Cox by Cox's employe, McCarthy. On December 12, 1941, a bill of approximately $240 was submitted to WLB by McCarthy. This bill was not paid by WALB because of the fact that services provided had already been covered under an arrangement with Cox. Cox joined in this understanding that McCarthy was not to receive payment for his services for WALB because of the fact that McCarthy was employed by Cox.

"Neither Cox nor McCarthy's services were performed at Albany, Ga. The Cox and McCarthy legal services at Washington were exclusively for WALB. . . . Radio Station WALB has never at any time and does not now have any Washington representation other than that provided by E. E. Cox."

This statement was dated March 16 and 17, 1942.

The checks introduced yesterday were for $2500 each, one from WALB to Cox, dated August 18, 1941, and one for the same amount, from Cox to WALB, dated August 15, 1941. Cox's check was in payment for 25 shares of WALB stock.

About three weeks ago, H. T. McIntosh, president of the WALB operating company, testified that the $2500 was paid his Congressman for legal services he could perform "in an ethical and legal manner" not in conflict with his legislative status.

Cox, however, on January 19, told the House:

"Without any knowledge on my part, they issued to me . . . a check for $2500, which was in turn endorsed by me and returned as payment for stock in a like amount in the new corporation. . . . Friends in the new corporation insisted they wanted me to serve in an advisory capacity . . . the stock was transferred to a little private charity."

The exhibits produced yesterday showed that Cox wrote his check three days before the one in his favor was issued and that after Cox indorsed the WALB $2500 check he deposited it on August 30 to his credit in the City National Bank in Albany.

U.S. 'Wonder Boy' Farm Advice Again Assailed by Flannagan

By the Associated Press

Representative Flannagan, a Virginia farmer who claims to know his horses and horseshoes, returned to his verbal war with WPB yesterday to suggest that some of the luck traditionally associated with horseshoes be used to "get rid of some of the wonder boys that are trying to run the farm program."

Flannagan last week heaped ridicule on a letter signed by Edward R. Gay, of the industrial program branch, Office of Civilian Supply of the WPB, in which it was suggested among other things that "horse owners can, in many cases, save shoes by removing the shoes immediately after a period of necessary road work or other work where shoes are necessary only during certain periods."

By Farm-Born Subordinate

The Representative said that subsequently an unidentified WPB information man was quoted as saying that while the letter was signed by Gay, it was written by a subordinate, Verne V. Gregg, in charge of farm machinery, "a man born on a farm, graduated from Missouri College of Agriculture, one-time manager of a 2,700-acre farm and until recently an employe of the Agriculture Department."

As to removing shoes, the WPB information man was quoted as saying that what Gregg meant was that "it would be a good thing to remove the shoes from horses at the end of their annual work period before turning them out to pasture. Otherwise, the horses cast the shoes in the pasture and when they are recovered by little boys they do not go into the scrap drive but are hidden under their pillows or nailed to the barn door."

Should Be Nailed to Barn

Flannagan retorted in the House yesterday that they should be nailed to every barn door in the country "until we get rid of some of the wonder boys that are trying to run the farm program."

As for putting horseshoes under their pillow, Flannagan said "while I confess that as a boy on the farm I used to sleep with my dog, when it comes to sleeping with horseshoes I deny the charge, not only for myself, but for every farm boy in America."

Hitler's Absence Starts Rumors

London, Feb. 1 (INS).—Considerable speculation has arisen in Germany over the whereabouts and health of Adolf Hitler, Reuter's news agency reported tonight in a dispatch from the German frontier.

The absence of the Nazi chief from the anniversary celebration of his party set off the wave of rumors, Reuter's reported. The announcement that Hitler is at the Russian Front is not generally believed, the dispatch added.

Negro Cook Charged With Train Murder

Albany, Oreg., Feb. 1 (AP).—Without flinching, Robert E. Lee Folkes, 20-year-old dining car cook, heard himself charged with first degree murder today in the lower 13 slaying of pretty, young Mrs. Martha Virginia James, 21, Navy ensign's bride.

His demeanor in strange contrast to his flashy zoot suit, Folkes stared straight ahead, head bowed, eyes half-closed as Justice of the Peace Victor Olliver read the charge, then continued the hearing until Folkes' attorney arrives.

New Cable Service To Britain Begun

The establishment of a new direct telegraph service between the United States and Great Britian, operated by the Mackay Radio & Telegraph Co. in the United States and by Cable & Wireless, Ltd., of the British communication service, was announced yesterday by President Luke McNamee of Mackay Radio.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

'Hitler's Children' Tumbles Records Right and Left

Bonita Granville Reports From the Front; An Accolade for the 'Backstage' Workers

WHEN WE WERE SUMMONED to the Washington Hotel late last Thursday night by Dr. Archie Engel, their official escort for two successive years of the President's birthday goings-on, to say "hello" to Mrs. Bernard Granville and her gifted daughter, Bonita, fresh off the train, we were glad to wade through a block of slush to greet the widow and daughter of one of the theater's foremost dancing comedians, whom we had known in the old Ziegfeld "Follies" and topflight vaudeville days as "Bunny" Granville.

BONITA GRANVILLE

The midnight visit was particularly interesting because Bonita had come to the Washington celebrations direct from a fortnight of personal appearances in connection with the Midwestern premieres of "Hitler's Children" and brought amazing tidings of the picture's overwhelming box-office success wherever it has been shown. We had recognized "Hitler's Children" as a timely, powerful and needed picture on the occasion of its "United Nations Week" public preview at RKO-Keith's Theater, but obviously had underestimated its tremendous popular appeal.

In more than one spot it has broken the attendance records established by such sensational hits as "Mrs. Miniver" and "Road to Morocco," on the word of Miss Granville's lifted right hand. In Cincinnati, the home town of Gregor Ziemer, on whose book the film is based, the reception has been something epochal. Bonita was thrilled to the fingertips at the prospect of four or five weeks more of "personals" in conjunction with the film, immediately following her visit here. She no doubt is in the thick of them by now.

All of this has come out of a project that has surprised even RKO-Radio. Confident that they had a sure-fire title and a story that would justify the acute interest it aroused, they still held "Hitler's Children" to a low production budget which I am given to understand was under $200,000. The picture already has in excess of two million dollars on its booking sheets and its major releases are only beginning. It gives promise of becoming one of the greatest money-making properties of the year. Which is why Manager Hardie Meakin of RKO-Keith's Theater is in one of his handsomest dithers over its playing date in the Capital. Presumably, "Arabian Nights" is good for another week. Then, apparently will come Sam Goldwyn's production of "They Got Me Covered," costarring Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour, and then "Hitler's Children." But you never can tell. Neither can Mr. Meakin. It may be popped onto the Fifteenth Street screen any time now, depending on the considered judgment of the high command. Whenever it gets here, it decidedly is something that deserves to be seen.

Whether or not Washington is included on Miss Granville's personal itinerary, I neglected to ask. It is to be hoped that it is. A veteran actress at 20—today is her birthday, incidentally—Bonita is a young woman whose talent is no more than commensurate with her great attractiveness and youthful charm. Poised, gracious and bubbling over with enthusiasm, she is one of the few juvenile stars who have made the transition from child parts to mature roles with an unblemished record of fine performances. From the nasty little brat in "These Three," the film version of Lillian Hellman's "Children's Hour," to the feminine lead in "Hitler's Children," Bonita has carried the family tradition high in the theater.

Where Unpaid Credit Is Due

A parting thought on the President's birthday celebrations would be that among those primarily responsible for the success of the annual observance are some whose contributions have gone unsung in the casual "thank yous." In none of the public tributes to the wheelhorses of the prodigious undertaking have we heard any mention of Andrew R. Kelley, who was personally responsible for bringing the "command performance" of Anderson's "The Eve of St. Mark" to the National and the Hollywood stars to Washington; Hardie Meakin, whose arduous job is the routing of all the units of visiting celebrities through all the spots they are to cover on a split-second schedule, or Frank La Falce and Dan Terrell, whose task it is, year after year, to keep the public aware of what is going on. Without them, there would have been no show. As one who has learned the value of their services from experience, I just thought you would like to know—and should.

Just because "Claudia" is playing its third engagement at the National with its original cast, don't let that lull you into the belief that tickets can be picked up at random any time. With the exception of the regular matinees and the two extra performances, Sunday afternoon and evening, the house is practically sold out for the week.

Spots-Before-the-Eyes-and-Dark-Glasses Note

How did you and the sun get along yesterday?

HEDDA HOPPER

Ceiling May Prove 'Zero'

Hollywood, Calif., Feb. 1.—There's a Hollywood war going on that I think you fans should know about, because it concerns you more than anybody else. It's this: pictures vs. radio. If something isn't done, and soon, about the ceiling salary allowed our stars, you won't be hearing your favorite players on the air. Why? 'Cause they can't do both pictures and radio. Our picture producers for years have fought radio.

ANNE BAXTER

It started way back when Marie Dressler was still alive. She had a chance to go on the air for $15,000 a week. Metro said they'd pay her $2500 a week until the day she died if she'd turn it down. She turned it down.

Many of your favorites, among them Frank Morgan, because he was under contract to Metro, pleaded for three years before he was given permission to do a weekly air show.

Judy Garland, after a season with Bob Hope where her popularity was built up tremendously, was taken off and allowed to do only an occasional guest spot. And if this continues, the big shows will come from New York, not Hollywood.

Neither Cash Nor Credit

You see, if you make your money quota in pictures, you can't do radio, because you can't accept that money. It reverts to the advertising agency. They, not you, get credit for it, and you're not allowed to work free.

The actors never have objected to taxation, but they want that taxation to come directly from them and not have their salary revert to the producers, where they, and not actors, get credit for it. So unless something is done, and quickly, the big shows will be taken to New York and you'll be the loser because you won't be able to hear your favorites on the air.

But what to do over this situation has to be worked out in Washington. And they don't seem to be making any headway.

You can all settle back and relax now that Winnie Sheehan has Eddie Rickenbacker's name on the dotted line and will produce the story of his life. . . . Anne Baxter's option has been lifted and when she returns to Twentieth she'll costar in "Last Train From Berlin," with Dana Andrews. . . . Glamour note—Hedy Lamarr eating raw beefsteak at the Mocambo . . . If the story "Hostages" is as good as the cast they'll have something to shout about, what with Oscar Homolka, Luise Rainer and Arturo De Cordova.

All Not as Tranquil as It Appears!

DONALD COOK AND DOROTHY McGUIRE just before they get around to the ticklish business of the household accounts in "Claudia," which last night opened its third Washington engagement with the original cast, at the National Theater. Frances Starr is the other of the stellar triumvirate in this John Golden production of the Rose Franken smash hit that ran up 722 Broadway performances

'Claudia' Is Still a Smash Hit On Third Visit to the National

By Ernest L. Schier

"CLAUDIA." John Golden presents the comedy in three acts by Rose Franken. Directed by the author; settings by Donald Oenslager. At the National Theater.

THE CAST

Mrs. Brown.....Frances Starr
David Naughton.....Donald Cook
Claudia Naughton.....Dorothy McGuire
Bertha.....Adrienne Gessner
Fritz.....Frank Tweddell
Jerry Seymour.....Wilton Graff
Madame Daruschka.....Olga Baclanova
Julia Naughton.....Audrey Ridgwell

With a freshness and vitality that belie its triumphant two-year engagement on Broadway, and one-night stands in the hinterlands, "Claudia" returned to the National Theater last night to receive the same acclaim which originally established it as a success of, what is loosely referred to as, "smash dimensions."

Alive and gay, the John Golden production must, because of its propensity of clever dialogue, be labelled a comedy. Yet, beneath its both obvious and subtle lines of laughter there lurks a tender drama of domestic life whose every problem finds its counterpart in a myriad of young homes throughout the country.

That Rose Franken has fashioned a play whose exposition is successful only because of her adeptness to fashion a quip at every turn is only a half-truth. Her humor, to begin with, is the warm, infectious humor that young lovers share. It is the healthy kind of flippancy which today's youth indulges in to mask the bursting emotion which a generation bred on difficult times and an uncertain future has learned to shield.

Substantial Plot

From the very first act this kind of humor pervades the play throughout, and the audience's sympathetic gales of laughter in response only further prove how closely Miss Franken has held the mirror to life.

The conflict between Claudia and David, as well as the problems they are called upon to face together, are not trivialities which a shrewd technician can cause to disappear by waving a magic wand over a typewriter. These, too, are real and substantial manifestations of today's world. The narration of the play, therefore, does not depend upon the progress of the lines, but rather on the truthful growth and ability of its characters to meet the given situation and circumstances.

It would be extreme exercise of license to call Rose Franken's heroine a present-day "Norah," yet the development of Claudia from a child-wife to a woman strongly recalls the central figure of Ibsen's "A Doll's House." Do not, from certain tones suggested in this review, mistake "Claudia" for a deep, dark drama of psychological undertones. It is, on the contrary, a vibrant, amusing comedy that is pleasurable and cheering to behold. It is also an excellently conceived and constructed play.

Cast Excells

In casting Dorothy McGuire in the title role, John Golden has selected an actress whose intellectual grasp of the part is matched only by the sensitive, exquisite charm of her playing. Her Claudia, at first child and then woman, expresses completely the many moods and moments of the distaff side. Her playing encompasses all the femininity and beauty which all men seek.

Hampered in the early scenes of the play by a delivery which sought deliberately to provoke laughter, Donald Cook rose in the second act to give true indication of his versatility and range in acting. His tender, patient David bore a relationship to Claudia which paid no mean tribute to his performance.

As Claudia's mother, Frances Starr brought a contrasting maturity to a part that is not as simple as the surface may appear. Completing the central triumvirate, she did much to add balance and substantiate the plot. Madame Daruschka, the opera singer who is given to impulses and men, was an hilarious vignette in the hands of the capable Olga Baclanova.

David's sister-in-law was played by Audrey Ridgwell, a neighboring "wolf" by Wilton Graff, and the servants of the house by Frank Tweddell and Adrienne Gessner.

LEONARD LYONS

Loose-Leaf Notebook

New York, Feb. 1.

Within the next few days, if the U. S. Army approves and the legal authorities can be brought to recognize the changing customs in a changing world, one of the most unusual weddings between well-known New Yorkers will take place. The bride will be Edia Benjamin, author of "Murder Without Make-up," and daughter of Aline Bernstein, the scenic designer. The groom will be Corpl. Peter Cusick, the former executive secretary of the Fight for Freedom Committee, who now is in London . . . The wedding will be by proxy. The London bridegroom will have as his best man, in New York, Romney Brent, the actor. The bride, in New York, has arranged for her best friend, Pat Wallace daughter of Mystery Writer Edgar Wallace—to be matron of honor, in London . . . "I have one more worry," confessed Edia. "I don't know what kind of hat I should wear to my proxy wedding."

ALEXANDER WOOLLCOTT

Joe Hennessey, who was Alexander Woollcott's secretary, friend and constant companion since 1922, is the principal beneficiary of Woollcott's will. His inheritance will include Woollcott's house on the famous Vermont island as well as half the acreage there . . . One of Woollcott's prized possessions was a silver ruler, with the President's name on it, which Mr. Roosevelt recently presented to him. That ruler will go, as will Woollcott's collection of letters, to Harvard University. The ruler will be kept there on Roosevelt's Harvard desk.

At Woollcott's memorial services last week, in Columbia's McMillen Theater, there were no flowers. That was his wish. For, though he loved flowers, he was a practical man and felt that money spent in his honor for flowers he could neither see nor smell would be wasted. His friends, therefore, obeyed his final command—that the money which they would have spent for these flowers be distributed, through Hennessey, to the specific charities in which he was interested.

Billy Rose, who recently went to Hollywood on a mission concerning a show for the U. S. Navy, was besieged by all the film studios who wanted to buy the movie rights in his Aquacade. The producer told them all that he would sell those rights, not for money—but for any one of a half-dozen Rembrandts. "I know I'd have to pay a Federal gift-tax," explained Art Collector Rose, "but a Rembrandt is better than money" . . . Before Billy flew to Hollywood he sent a wire to the Beverly-Wilshire: "Please reserve one room for me. Billy Rose." When he arrived he discovered that a 4-room suite had been prepared for him. "This proves one thing," said the producer of spectacles. "It proves that my press agents had done a good job, and were worth the money I paid them."

Al Lackey, the husband of Sophie Tucker, was in Reuben's with Charles Cambridge Green, the Broadway jeweler. Green, ever mindful of a possible sale, complimented Lackey upon his appearance. "Yes, Al," said Green, "you look well" . . . "Thank you, Charles," the boastful Lackey acknowledged. "And 20 years from now I'll look even better" . . . "Yeah?" Green challenged. "What are you—a Stradivarius?"

Gov. Tom Dewey now is working in a temporary office in Albany. The office is a large room, almost 100x60, with a 30-foot ceiling. On the walls around him are the portraits of the distinguished former Governors of New York—Clinton, Tilden, Seward, Smith, Cleveland and others . . . "It must be quite a challenge," a visitor said to Dewey, "to sit in the reflected glory of these fine portraits of these great men" . . . "They're not such fine paintings, with the exception of Roosevelt's," said Republican Dewey. "Theodore Roosevelt's."

Show Time in the Downtown Theaters

STAGE

National — "Claudia," at 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque at 12 noon, 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Uline Arena — "Ice-Capades of 1943" at 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Palace—"The Black Swan" at 11:50 a. m., 2:20, 4:50, 7:20 and 9:50 p. m.

Earle—"Commandos Strike at Dawn," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:35, 7:25 and 10:03 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:55, 6:45 and 9:25 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Arabian Nights" 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Capitol—"China Girl" at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:25, 7:25 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 12:30, 3:35, 6:30 and 9:15 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Road to Morocco" at 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

Columbia—"Reunion in France" at 10:45 a. m., 1, 3:15, 5:30, 7:45 and 10:05 p. m.

Little—"Waterloo Bridge," at 11 a. m., 12:55, 2:55, 5, 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Piv—"American Empire," at 2:55, 5:05, 7:35 and 10 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador — "Commandos Strike at Dawn" at 1, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30 and 9:45 p. m.

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Theaters Having Matinees.

AMBASSADOR 18th & Col. Rd. COL. 5595 1 P. M. Paul Muni, Anne Lee, in "The Commandos Strike at Dawn," at 1, 3:10, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45. New admission prices, 1 to 6 p. m., 30c, incl. tax. 6 p. m. to closing, all seats 50c, including tax.

BEVERLY 154h and E Sts. N.E. LI. 2300. Mat. 1 P.M. Bette Davis, Paul Henreid, in "Now, Voyager," at 1, 3:05, 5:15, 7:20, 9:30.

CALVERT 2324 Wisc. Ave. N.W. WO. 2345. Mat. 1 P.M. Bette Davis, Paul Henreid, in "Now, Voyager," at 1, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30, 9:45.

CENTRAL 425 9th St. N.W. ME. 2841 Open 9:45 James Craig, Pamela Blake, in "The Omaha Trail," at 10:00, 12:40, 3:20, 6:00, 8:40. Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy Fibber McGee and Molly, in "Here We Go Again," at 11:05, 1:45, 4:20, 7:00, 9:45.

KENNEDY Kennedy Nr. 4th N.W. RA. 6600. Mat. 1 P.M. Fred Astaire, Rita Hayworth, in "You Were Never Lovelier," at 1:25, 3:30, 5:30, 7:35, 9:35.

PENN Pa. Ave. at 7th S.E. FR. 5200 Mat. 1 P.M. Bette Davis, Paul Henreid, in "Now, Voyager," at 1, 3:10, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30.

SHERIDAN Ga. & Sheridan N.W. RA. 2400. Mat. 1 P.M. Betty Grable, John Payne, in "Springtime in Rockies," at 1:30, 3:30, 5:35, 7:35, 9:40.

SILVER Ga. Ave. & Colesville Pike SH. 5500. Mat. 1 P.M. Betty Grable, John Payne, in "Springtime in Rockies," at 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:35

TIVOLI 14th & Park Rd. N.W. COL. 1800. Mat. 1 P.M. Bette Davis, Paul Henreid, in "Now Voyager," 1:00, 3:05, 5:15, 7:20, 9:30.

UPTOWN Conn. & Newark N.W. WO. 5400. Mat. 1 P.M. Brian Donlevy, Veronica Lake in "The Glass Key," at 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:35.

Theaters Having Eve. Performances

APOLLO 624 H St. N.E. FR. 5300 Fredric March, Veronica Lake in "I Married a Witch," at 6:15, 8:00, 9:40.

AVALON 5612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 2600. Betty Grable, John Payne in "Springtime in the Rockies," at 6:00, 8:00, 9:45.

AVE. GRAND 945 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2406 Pat O'Brien, George Murphy in "The Navy Comes Through," at 6:15, 8:00, 9:50.

COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 6500. George Sanders, Herbert Marshall in "The Moon and Sixpence," at 6:15, 7:55, 9:45.

HOME 1230 C St. N.E. TR. 8188. Richard Dix, Wendie Barrie in "Eyes of the Underworld," at 6:15, 8:45. Abbott and Costello in "Who Done It?" at 7:15, 9:45.

SAVOY 3030 14th St. N.W. COL. 4968 James Craig, Pamela Blake in "Omaha Trail," at 6:35, 8:15, 9:55. March of Time.

SECO 8244 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring SH. 2540. Judy Garland, George Murphy in "For Me and My Gal," at 6:15, 9:20. Frank Albertson, June Lang in "City of Silent Men," at 8:05.

TAKOMA 4th & Butternut Sts. GE. 4312. George Sanders, Herbert Marshall in "The Moon and Sixpence," at 6:15, 8:00, 9:45.

YORK Ga. Ave. & Quebec Pl. N.W. RA. 4000. Hedy Lamarr, Walter Pidgeon in "White Cargo," at 6:00, 7:45, 9:40.

HYATTSVILLE Wash.-Balt. Blvd. WA. 9776. Hyatts. 9222. Hyattsville, Md. Free Parking. John Wayne, John Carroll. "FLYING TIGERS." At 7, 9:35. Also 3 Stooge Comedy.

BETHESDA 7719 Wisconsin Ave. WI. 2868 or RR. 9636. Mich. 1154. Free Parking. Double Feature. Abbott and Costello, "WHO DONE IT?" Lionel Barrymore, Donna Reed, "CALLING DR. GILLESPIE."

CIRCLE 2105 Pa. Ave. N.W. - RE. 0184 George Sanders, Herbert Marshall, in "THE MOON AND SIXPENCE." Doors open at 5:45. Feature at 6:00, 7:55, 9:55.

CONGRESS 2931 Nichols Ave. S.E. TR. 8700 George Sanders and Herbert Marshall, in "THE MOON AND SIXPENCE."

FAIRLAWN 1342 Good Hope Rd. S.E. Lincoln 9193 Victor Mature and Lucille Ball, in "SEVEN DAYS' LEAVE."

HIGHLAND 2582 Pa. Ave. S.E. AT. 7311 Betty Grable, John Payne, Carmen Miranda, Cesar Romero, Harry James and His Orchestra, in "SPRINGTIME IN THE ROCKIES," in technicolor, at 5:30, 7:35, 9:35. Doors open 5:00.

GREENBELT Adults 25c. Free Parking. Double Feature. L. Barrymore, P. Dorn, "CALLING DR. GILLESPIE," and M. Berle, "WHISPERING GHOSTS," at 7 and 8:30.

HISER 7714 Wisc. Ave., Bethesda, Md. WI. 4848. BRadley 0165. Gene Tierney and Preston Foster in "THUNDER BIRDS." Also "March of Time," the Fighting French. News.

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JESSE 18th nr. Rhode Isl. Ave. N.E. Phone DUpont 9861. Double Feature. "YOU CAN'T ESCAPE FOREVER," George Brent, Brenda Marshall. "UNITED WE STAND." News Documentary.

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ATLAS 1321 H St. N.E. AT. 8300. Shows Cont., 1-11 p. m. Double Feature Program. Errol Flynn and Alexis Smith in the portrayal of James Corbett. "GENTLEMAN JIM." Plus Richard Greene, through the courtesy of the R. A. F., in "FLYING FORTRESS."

PRINCESS 1119 H St. N.E. TR. 9200. Shows Cont. 1 to 11 P.M. Double Feature Program. "THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON," with Errol Flynn and Olivia De Havilland. Plus: "BLUE, WHITE AND PERFECT." With Lloyd Nolan, Mary Beth Hughes.

SENATOR Minn. Ave. at Benning Rd. N.E. TR. 2600. Two Big Hits. Veronica Lake, Fredric March, in "I MARRIED A WITCH," shows at 6:15, 9:45. Plus Barbara Stanwyck, George Brent, Geraldine Fitzgerald, "THE GAY SISTERS," shown at 8 only. Doors open at 6:30.

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Joel McCREA · Rudy VALLEE
"THE PALM BEACH STORY"
A Paramount Picture
STAGE
SALICI PUPPETS
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PALACE F at 13th
NOW . . . DOORS OPEN 10:30
Tyrone POWER · Maureen O'HARA
'The BLACK SWAN'
Coming "IN WHICH WE SERVE"

COLUMBIA F at 12th
LAST 2 DAYS — DOORS OPEN 10:45
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THURSDAY
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D. C. Clearings Off 13 Million During Month

Washington bank clearings in January totaled $153,183,172, a drop of $13,632,711, as compared with the same month last year.

With the exception of January, 1942, the latest total was the largest for that month in Washington history and was only about 20 million less than the all-time high in December, 1942.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Rationing Spread Foreseen

Increasing scarcity of civilian goods and a spread of rationing were forecast today by the magazine Banking, publication of the American Bankers Association.

Outlining steps expected in the fight against price inflation, the magazine lined up as "fairly sure to happen:"

Taxes are bound to be increased.

The sale of Treasury issues, war and victory bonds, must be greatly expanded.

Goods available for civilian support will continue to dwindle.

All present controls will become stricter.

Priorities will be more and more necessary.

Concentration of certain industries "is high on the program this year," the magazine added, "and is going to stir up as many new problems as it solves."

100th Anniversary

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York, first in the United States to offer mutual life insurance, yesterday observed its 100th anniversary.

At it enters its second century the company has almost a million policyholders who own insurance totaling over 3½ billions of dollars. The company, whose home office is in New York City, has representatives in 47 States and the District of Columbia.

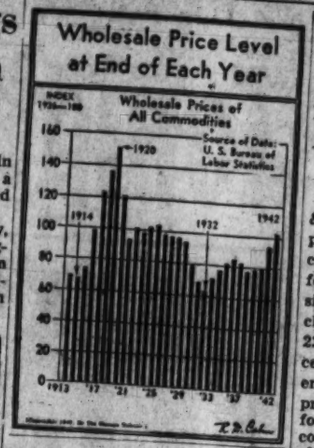
Lewis W. Douglas, who is now serving the Government as deputy administrator of the War Shipping administration, is president of the Mutual Life, and Alexander E. Patterson is executive vice president.

Aetna Life Companies

Aetna Life affiliated companies reported today total premuium income for 1942 was $209,278,373, an increase of $16,167,506 from the previous year.

During the same time, Aetna Life Insurance Co. assets increased $9,627,530 to a total of $847,569,-89 at the end of the year.

For the group as a whole, holdings of Government bonds at the end of the year totaled $289,054,-91, an increase of nearly 50 million dollars.



Trio Indicted In Rail Bond Manipulation

By the Associated Press

New York, Feb. 1.—A Federal grand jury today indicted John W. Hession, financial analyst, and Arnold R. and Sven Wellmer Hanson, partners in the security firm of Hanson & Hanson, on 30 counts charging mail fraud, violation of the Securities and Exchange Act and conspiracy.

The indictment charged that the trio evolved a scheme to manipulate first mortgage four's of 1936, bonds of the Wisconsin Central Railway Co., Superior and Duluth division.

As a result, the indictment said, the bonds rose from 13 in January, 1942, on the New York Stock Exchange, to 36 in July—then dropped to 12.

Acting U. S. Attorney Howard F. Corcoran said that Hession had an agreement with the Hanson firm under which he was to receive 50 per cent of all profits of any accounts he brought into the business.

Corcoran said Hession recommended the bonds in May and again in June, predicting that "an offer above 50 would be made for the Superior-Duluth Four's in the relatively near future."

The indictment said that the defendants made representations that the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. planned to purchase the company's divisional bonds from five insurance companies which held $3,500,000 of those securities.

Gen. Motors Declares Usual 50c Dividend

New York, Feb. 1 (AP).—Directors of General Motors Corp. today declared a dividend of 50 cents a share on the common stock, payable March 12 to holders of record February 11. A similar dividend was paid in each quarter in 1942.

Sharp Decline In Net Shown By J. & L. Steel

By the Associated Press

Pittsburgh, Feb. 1.—The Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. today reported for the quarter ended December 31, 1942, consolidated profit for the corporation and its subsidiaries of $2,550,257 after all charges. This compares with $4,-234,599 in the quarter ended December 31, 1941. Profit for the year ended December 31, 1942, after provision of one million dollars for contingencies, was $10,020,443, compared with $16,274,983 in 1941 after provision of two million dollars for contingencies.

Directors ordered a dividend of 50 cents a share on the new common stock, payable April 6 to stockholders of record March 5, as compared with 75 cents for the same quarter last year.

The dividend of $1.25 a share on the new accumulative preferred stocks A and B, payable April 1 to stockholders of record March 5, was the same as in 1941.

Late Earnings Statements

Southern Pacific Co. in a preliminary report for 1942 showed net income of $85,394, equal to $22.64 a share, against $34,541,958 or $9.15 a share in 1941. For December net was $12,303,205 against $563,168 in December of 1941. The statement covered the Southern Pacific transportation system and separately operated solely controlled affiliated companies, excluding the Southern Pacific Railroad of Mexico.

Devoe & Raynolds Co., Inc., and subsidiaries reported net income for the fiscal year ended November 30 was $909,021, equal after preferred dividend requirements to $5.03 on class "A" and "B" shares, compared with $1,178,188, or $7.08 a share on those classes of stock in the preceding year.

Canada Dry Ginger Ale, Inc., and subsidiaries showed a net profit for the quarter ended December 31 of $551,889, equal to 90 cents a share, against $9285,125 or 46 cents a share in the comparable 1941 period. For the recent quarter Federal and Canadian income and excess profits taxes were figured at $931,435 after postwar credit of $72,738, against income taxes of $187,580 in the 1941 quarter.

Local Securities

Yesterday's quotations on Washington Stock Exchange:
Sales—After Call

Cap. Traction 1st 5s—$500 at 108¼.

BONDS	Bid.	Asked.
Public Utility		
Amer Tel & Tel (9)	131¾	
Capital Transit (p1.75)	31	33
N & W Steamboat (†4)	b125	140
Pot Elec Pwr 6% pf (6)	116	
Pot Elec P 5½% conv pf (5.50)	114	
Wash Gas Lt com (1.50)	17¼	18½
Wash Gas Lt cum pf (4.50)	*91	94
Wash Gas Lt cum pf (5.00)	*99	101
Wash Ry & El com (p37.00)	540	640
Wash Ry & El pf (5)	112½	
National Banks		
Capital (†5)	170	
Liberty (†6)	171	200
Lincoln (h5)	200	
Riggs (10)	248	260
Riggs pf (5)	116	
Washington (6)	100	
Trust Companies		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (e8)	179	190
Natl Sav & Tr Co (†1.00)	203	
Wash Loan & Tr (e8)	200	24
Savings Banks		
Bank of Bethesda (†.75)	30	
Com & Savings (p10.00)	325	
Fire Insurance		
American (†6)	125	
Firemen's (1.40)	30	
National Union (.75)	12	
Title Insurance		
Columbia (k30)	12½	16
Real Estate (m6)	150	
Miscellaneous		
Carpel Corp (2.00)	20	
Garfinckel com (.70)	7¾	8¾
Garfkl 6% cu cv pf (1.50)	24	26¾
Lanston Monotype (†1.00)	29¾	32
Lincoln Serv com (1.25)	11½	13
Lincoln S 7% pr pf (3.50)	36¼	42
Mergenthaler Lino (p5.00)	39	41
Wall Mtge & Inv pf (.35)	4¼	
Peoples Dr com new (p1.25)	18	
Real Est M&G pf (†1.50)	24	
Security Storage (†4)	65	71
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (3)	52	60
Wdwd & Loth com (p2.30)	30	34
Wdwd & Lothrop pf (7)	118	

*Ex-dividend. †Books closed. †Plus extras. (e) 2% extra. (f) 3% extra. (h) $5.00 extra. (k) 20c extra. (m) $1.50 extra. (p) Paid in 1942. (y) $10.00 extra.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, Feb. 1 (AP).—Buying interest in grains was at a low point today and, as a consequence, declines were registered in all pits on scattered selling.

Wheat and rye were under most pressure, the latter grain falling more than a cent in a continuation of the slump which started Saturday when Agricultural Department officials were quoted as saying they could see no immediate need for rye shipments to Russia.

Final prices on wheat were ⅝ to 1 cent lower; May, 1.39⅝@1.39¾; JJuly, 1.39¾@1.39½; corn was off ⅛ to ¼; May, 98@98⅛; oats declined ⅛ to ⅜; rye dropped 1¼ to 1½, and soybeans slumped ¼.

Range follows:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.40½	1.40¾	1.39⅝	1.39¾
July	1.40½	1.40⅝	1.39½	1.39½
September	1.41	1.41¼	1.40¼	1.40⅝
Corn—				
May	98⅛	98⅜	98	98⅛
July	99	99	98⅛	98½
September	99⅝	99⅜	98⅞	98⅞
December	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
Oats—				
May	59⅝	59⅝	59⅛	59¼
July	58¼	58¼	58	58
September	58⅝	58⅝	58	58
Soybeans—				
May	1.85	1.85	1.84¾	1.85
July	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.86
Rye—				
May	84	84	82¼	82½
July	86½	86⅝	84⅝	84⅝
September	88¼	88¼	86⅛	86⅜
Cash Grain				

Chicago, Feb. 1 (AP).—WHEAT—No. 1 hard, 1.44¼.

CORN—No. 1 yellow, 1.00¾; No. 2, 1.00; No. 3, 99@99; No. 4, 92¼@99; sample grade yellow, 70@91.

OATS—No. 1 mixed, 61¾@62; No. 2, 61½; No. 1 white, 62½; sample grade white, 58@60.

BARLEY—Malting, 88@1.06 nominal; feed, 72@82 nominal.

United States Treasury Position

By the Associated Press

The position of the Treasury Jan. 29, compared with corresponding date year ago:

	Jan. 29, 1943.	Jan. 29, 1942.
Receipts	$26,780,512.82	$24,993,111.37
Expenditures	240,029,102.37	112,782,468.27
Net balance	7,501,188,281.73	2,867,468,973.22
Working balance included	6,838,620,114.62	2,108,541,832.87
Customs receipts for month	23,793,837.30	32,448,118.31
Receipts fiscal year (July 1)	5,532,602,298.83	4,099,888,370.26
Expenditures fiscal year	41,273,129,663.81	13,992,026,567.99
Excess of expenditures	32,740,527,364.98	9,292,138,197.73
Total debt	115,036,676,595.48	66,107,204,182.74
Increase over previous day	243,713,121.25	
Gold assets	22,632,632,582.43	22,745,165,325.01

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Feb. 1.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 inds.	125.55	126.15	124.87	125.86	+0.28
20 rails.	29.30	29.57	29.11	29.55	+0.24
15 utils.	16.61	16.70	16.51	16.64	+0.04
65 stocks	42.10	42.37	41.89	42.28	+0.15

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	63,600
Rails	107,930
Utilities	59,600
65 stocks	231,130

Dow-Jones Bonds

New York, Feb. 1.

10 bonds	92.82	+0.06
10 higher-grade rails	96.50	+0.09
10 second-grade rails	86.53	+0.19
10 public utilities	110.19	+0.01
10 industrials	106.85	−0.04

Sales in thousands.

CORPORATION BONDS	High	Low	Close
6s Alleghany 5 '44 Mod	94½	93⅞	94⅛
16 Alleghany 5 '49 Mod	77¾	77¼	77⅜
28 Alleghany 5 '50 Mod	81	80⅝	80⅞
37 Alleghany Inc 5 '50	62½	61⅝	61⅝
13 Am Ice Sec 6½ '53	82¼	82	82¼
5 Am Int 4½ '52	104½	104½	104½
18 Am T & T 3¼ '61	108	108	108
10 Am T & T 3¾ '56	109⅛	108⅞	108⅞
10 Ann Arbor 4 '95	69	68½	68½
4 Arm Del 4½ '63	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
6 A T & SF 4 '95	114¾	114¼	114¼
12 A C Line 1st 4 '52	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
11 A C Line cit 4 '52	78⅛	78¼	78¼
44 B & O 4½ '60	66½	66⅛	66⅛
25 B & O '96 st 4 '48	63¼	63	63⅛
7 B & O '96 st A	36½	36⅛	36⅛
7 B & O '96 st C	40	39⅞	40
31 B & O '96 st F	37	36½	36½
34 B & O 4 '48	27⅞	27	27⅞
3 B&OPLE&WV 4'51	62	62⅛	61½
6 B & O SW '50 st	53	53	53⅛
17 B&O T 4½ Pa 5 '48 B	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
5 Beth Stl 3½ '52	105	104½	105
18 Bost & Me 4½ '70	44⅝	44⅝	44½
2 Buf B & P '57 st	90	90	90
3 Can Pac 4 '60	38⅜	38⅛	38⅛
36 Can Pac 4 perp	92½	92½	92½
11 Cen of Ga 5 '59 C	75	74⅞	75
34 †Cen of Ga cn 5 '45	26⅛	26⅛	26½
3 Cen Pac 5 60	59⅝	58⅝	59½
5 Certain-td 4½ '48	25	25	25
18 †Chi & Alton 3 '49	95½	95	95⅛
16 C B & Q rf 5 '71	77¼	18¾	19
17 C B & Q 5 '71	77¼	77	77¼
61 C B & Q gen 4 '48	90	90	90
8 C B & Q 4 Ill '49	99⅜	99⅜	89¼
33 †C B & E Ill Inc '97	97¼	97¼	97¼
1 C G W Inc 4½ 2038	37	36¼	37
6 Chi Gt West 4 '88	70	70	41½
117 †CMSP & Pac 5 '75	21¾	21¼	21⅝
149 †CM&SP & P adj5 2000	6	6	6
45 †CM&SP 4½ '89C	47⅝	46½	47⅝
100 †C & NW gen 4 '89	46	46	46⅜
24 †C & NW rfs 5 2037	26	26	26
135 C & N W cv 3½ '49	38	37⅝	37⅝
34 †C & N W 4½ 2037	25⅜	25	25⅛
43 †C & N W 4 '87	37⅝	26⅜	37⅛
10 †C & N W 4 '87 st	36¾	36¾	36¾
100 †CRI & P 4½ '52 A	35¼	24½	25
194 †CHI & P cv 4½ '60	8½	7¾	8
63 †C R I & P 4 '88	39½	38¾	39⅛
122 †CRI & P rfs 4 '34	23	23	23
3 †Chi Un Sta 3¼ '63	108¾	108¾	108¾
38 CCC & St L 4½ '77	51½	50¾	51½
8 Cler Elec Ill 3 '70	107½	107½	107½
19 Cle Un Term 5 '73	68¾	68⅛	68¾
12 Cl Un Term 4½ '77C	63¾	63⅛	63⅛
40 Col & So 4½ '80	27½	27½	27¼
5 Col G 5 '52 May	95	94¾	95
8 Col G 5 1961	92	91½	92
3 †C Mask Ine '69 ww	63¼	63	63¼
10 Comw Ed cv 3½ '58	112	112	112
10 Con Oil cv 3¼ '51	104⅝	104⅜	104⅝
35 †Del & Hud rfg 4 '43	59	58⅜	59
11 †D&RG 4½ '36	27½	26½	26⅞
136 †D&RGW 5 '55	26½	25¾	26½
104 †D&RGW 5 '55 Asd	6¼	6	6¼
14 †D&RGW 5 '73	5½	5¼	5½
58 †Erie 4 2015	22⅜	21⅝	22
16 Erie 4 '75	58½	57¾	57⅝
7 First T & R 3 '41	95¼	95	95
60 †Fla E Cst 5 '74	101¾	101½	101¾
11 Gen Stl Cast 5½ '49	23½	23¼	23½
1 Goodrich 4¼ '56	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
67 †G Nor 4 '46 G	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜
6 †G Nor 4 '46 H	100⅛	100	100
67 Hud & M ms 5 '57	99¾	99½	99¾
71 Hud & M ins. 5 '57	51½	51½	51½
42 Ill Cen 4 '52	24½	24½	24½
12 Ill Cen 4 '53	54¾	54¼	54¼
7 Ill Cen rfs 4 '55	51½	51⅜	51½
43 Ill Cen 4¼ '66	50⅝	50¼	50⅜
60 IC&CSL&NO 5 '63 A	45⅞	43¾	45⅝
14 IC&CSL&NO 4½ '63	46¼	46	46⅛
67 †Int Gt Nor a) 6 '52	11¼	10⅞	11¼
32 †Int Gt N 1st 6 '52	31	30½	31
31 Int Hyd El cv 5 '44	46½	46½	46⅝
5 Int Paper 5 '47	103⅝	103¾	103⅝
16 Int T & T 4½ '52	68⅝	68	68⅛
16 Int T & T 5 '55	71	70⅝	71
111 †Iowa Cen rfg 4 '51	3	2⅞	3
11 †KCP&GAM 4 '36	74	73	73
9 K C Souths 5 '50	74¼	73	73
14 Leh V H Ter 5 '54	48½	46½	46½
17 Lehigh V 5 2003 st	40½	40½	40½
21 Leh Val 4½ 2003 st	36⅜	36	36⅜
37 Leh Val 4 2003 st	34¾	34¼	34⅝

New York Bond Prices

By the Associated Press

Total bond sales today, $11,646,-00; previous day, $8,447,000; week go, $15,332,000; year ago, $5,439,-00; two years ago, $4,981,300; January 1 to date, $314,462,700; year go, $225,995,300; two years ago, 239,328,725.

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
6 Louisia & Ark 5 '69	83⅞	83⅜	83¾
10 Mich Con Gas 4 '63	107⅞	107⅝	107⅝
1 †MSP&SSMcn 4 '38	18¼	18⅛	18¼
28 M-K-Tex 5 '62 A	42⅞	42⅜	42¾
20 M-K-Tex adj 5 '67	23	22½	22¾
28 M-K-Tex 1st 4 '90	44½	44⅛	44⅜
12 M-K-Tex 1 '22 B	16⅛	16	16⅛
45 †Mo Pac cv 5½ '49	7⅞	7⅝	7⅝
16 †Mo Pac 5 '65 A	43¾	42	42
214 †Mo Pac 5 '77 F	43½	42	42⅜
40 †Mo Pac 5 '78 G	42¾	42¼	42⅜
8 †Mo Pac 5 '80 H	42⅝	42	42⅜
98 †Mo Pac 5 '81 I	42⅝	42	42⅝
117 †Mo Pac gen 4 '75	14¾	14	14¼
14 Mont Pow 3¾ '66	105½	105¼	105¼
14 Mor & Essex 4½ '55	34¼	34	34
7 †N Eng Tel 5 '52	40	39⅝	40
6 †NO Tex&M 5½ '54	73½	73½	73½
31 NOTex&M 5' '54 B	57⅝	58⅛	58
3 NYC rfg 5 2013	56	55½	56
195 NYC 4½ 2013 A	51	50⅝	51
22 NYC cn 4 '98	54⅛	53¾	53¾
152 NYC cv 3¼ '32	74	74	74⅜
18 †NYChi&StL 5½ '74 A	80⅝	80	80⅜
118 †NYChi&StL 4½ '78	67¾	67¼	67¾
34 †NYNH&H cv 6 '48	41	40⅝	40⅞
17 †NYNH&H 4½ '67	39	39	39
14 †NYNH&H 4 '55	36⅛	35⅞	36⅛
109 †NO&NW rfg 4 '92	10	9¾	9¾
283 †††NYW&B 5 '42	9⅛	8⅝	9⅛
76 †Nor&So 5 cv 4½ '46	11¼	10¼	11⅛
15 Nor Am Co 3¾ '54	32½	32¼	32½
46 Nor Pac 6 2047	84⅜	83⅝	84⅛
29 Nor Pac 5 2047 D	87⅞	87¼	66⅜
20 Nor Pac 4½ 2047	57⅛	57	57¼
30 Nor Pac 4 '97	53¾	53½	53⅜
10 Nor Pac 3 2047	78¾	78⅛	78⅛
5 Pac G&E 3¾ '61	44⅝	44½	44⅛
5 Pac G&E 4 '84	111	111	111
16 Para Pict 4 cv '56	112	112	112
11 Penn P&L 4¼ '65	102¼	102¼	102¼
12 Penn P&L 3½ '69	103¼	102¼	102¼
5 Penn RR 4½ deb '70	107¼	107¼	107¼
29 †Penn RR 3¾ '70	92½	92¼	92½
52 Penn RR 3¼ '70	92½	92½	92½
40 Pere Marq 4½ '80	94	93½	93⅞
2 Phila Co 4¼ '61	61¼	60¾	61¼
36 †Ph R C & I 6 '49	100	99¾	100
66 Phillips Pet 1¾ '51	106⅜	106	106
43 Reading 4½ '97 A	80½	80	80¼
5 Repub Stl 4½ '61	102½	102⅜	102½
15 †R Gr W 1st 4 '59	67	66½	66⅝
42 †R Gr W ctf 4 '49	33¼	32	32½
10 †St LIM&S 4R&G'33	83	82¾	83
16 †St L S F & W 5 '48	46	46	46
275 †St L S F 4½ '50 B	24	23¾	23½
18 †St L S F 4½ '50 A	24½	24¼	24⅜
30 Schenley Dist 4 '52	104¾	104¾	21¾
35 †Seab A L cn 6 '45	16⅛	16¼	16⅜
5 †Sea A L cv 4 '45	33¼	32	32½

New York Cotton

New York, Feb. 1 (AP).—Routine buying and price-fixing outweighed liquidation and bear-selling in today's cotton futures trading and prices closed 20 to 45 cents a bale higher.

The farm parity formula situation still loomed large in the minds of most traders and Washington developments were awaited. The range of futures follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
March	19.67	19.76	19.66	19.75	+5
May	19.49	19.55	19.44	19.55	+4
July	19.33	19.40	19.31	19.40	+4
October	19.06	19.14	19.03	19.13	+7
December	19.02	19.11	18.99	19.11	+9

Spot middling, 21.86, up 2.

Government Bonds

Treasury Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.
9 3¼s, 1945-43	101.27	101.27	101.27
3 2¾s, 1947-48	104.26	104.26	104.26

Transactions on New York Stock Market

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 1,-086,750 shares; previous day, 612,-000 shares; week ago, 803,790 shares; year ago, 330,270 shares; two years ago, 491,165 shares; January 1 to date, 18,118,892 shares; year ago, 13,324,145 shares; two years ago, 14,093,895 shares.

	Sales. Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Crown Zeller	1	12½	12½	12½	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	9	34¼	34	34¼	— ⅛
Crucible Stl pf	2	78	78	78	.....
Cuban-Am Sug	7	8½	8	8	.....
Cudahy Pack	14	13½	13½	13½	— ⅛
Curtis Publish	30	2¾	2½	2¾	+ ⅛
Curtis P pr pf	26	22½	21½	22½	+ ⅞
Curtiss-Wright	61	7¾	7⅝	7¾	+ ⅛
Curtiss-W cl A	4	23⅛	23	23	— ⅛
Cutler-Hammer	6	19	18⅞	19	+ ⅛
Davison Chem	9	14⅜	14	14⅜	+ ⅛
Decca Records	1	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	.....
Deere & Co	12	11½	11½	11½	+ ⅛
Deere & Co pf a	2	28½	27⅞	28½	— ⅛
Del & Hudson	21	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛	— ⅛
Del Lack & W	23	10¼	10¼	10¼	+ ⅛
D & R G W pf	11	4¼	3⅞	4⅛	+ ⅛
Detroit Edison	8	18⅝	18⅛	18⅝	.....
Diamond Mat	1	27	27	27	.....
Diam Mat pf	2	38¾	38¾	38¾	.....
Diam T Motor	6	9½	9⅜	9⅜	— ⅛
Dist Corp-Sg	1	24	24	24	+ ⅛
Dist Corp-S pf	1	65½	65½	65½	+ ⅛
Dixie-Vortex	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	— 1¼
Doehler Die Cas	1	28	28	28	.....
Dome Mines	2	17	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅛
Douglas Aircr	7	63⅛	61⅞	61⅞	— ⅛
Dresser Mfg	3	19¼	19	19	.....
duPont de N	22	144¾	143	144¾	+ 1½
Eastern Air L	21	33¾	33½	33¾	+ ⅛
Eastern R Mill	20	5	5	5	.....
Eastman Kodak	6	156½	155½	155½	— ⅛
Eaton Mfg	4	36⅝	36	36⅜	— ⅛
El & Mus Ind	3	2¾	2½	2¾	+ ⅛
El Auto-Lite	13	32⅝	32¼	32⅝	+ ⅛
Elec Boat	10	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	.....
El Power & Lt	17	2¼	2⅛	2¼	+ ⅛
El P & L $6 pf	6	32	31	31⅜	— ⅛
El P & L $7 pf	7	36	34⅝	34⅝	— ⅛
Storage Bat	12	36	36	36	— ⅛
El Paso N Gas	3	36	36	36	— ⅛
Eq Pub Serv	13	4¼	4	4	— ⅛
Equit Off Bldg	18	9	9	9	.....
Erie RR	6	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	.....
Erie RR pf A	14	42⅝	42	42⅝	+ ⅛
Erie RR pf A	14	42⅝	42	42⅝	+ ⅛
Eureka V Clea	1	4½	4½	4½	.....
Ex-Cell-O	3	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	+ ⅛
Fairbaks Mor	1	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	.....
Fajardo Sug	1	35½	35½	35½	.....
Fed Mg & Sm	2	24¾	24¾	24¾	.....
Fed Mot Truck	6	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝	+ ⅛
Federal D Strs	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	+ ⅛
Ferro Enam	20	18	18	18	.....
Fid P Fire Ins	1	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	+ ⅛
Firestone T & R	23	37⅝	37⅜	37⅝	+ ⅛
First Nat Strs	3	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝	.....
Flintkote	1	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜	.....
Follansbee Stl	3	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	.....
Food Fair Strs	1	4½	4½	4½	.....
Foster Wheeler	1	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	.....
Francisco Sug	7	13½	13½	13½	.....
Freeport Sulph	8	37⅜	36⅞	37⅜	+ ⅛
Fruehauf Tra	19	19	19	19	.....
Gabriel Co	11	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	.....
Gair (Robt)	2	2¾	2¾	2¾	.....
Gair (Robt) pf	2	10½	10½	10½	.....
Gar Wood Ind	12	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	.....
Gen Am Invest	1	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	.....
Gen Am Inv pf	1	41¾	41¾	41¾	+ ⅛
Gen Am Trans	7	40⅝	40⅛	40⅜	+ ⅛
Gen Baking	6	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	.....
Gen Cable	1	17¼	17¼	17¼	.....
Gen Cable A	12	39⅜	39⅛	39⅜	+ ⅛
Gen Cigar	8	25¾	24⅝	25⅜	+ ⅛
Gen Elec	47	34⅜	33⅝	34⅜	+ ⅛
Gen Foods	7	37	36⅝	37	+ ⅛
Gen G & E A	3	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	.....
Gen Motors	49	46⅛	45⅝	46⅛	+ ⅛
Gen Motors pf	127	127	127	127	— 1
Gen Print Ink	3	5½	5½	5½	.....
Gen Pub Serv	22	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	.....
Gen Ry Signal	2	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	— ⅛
Gen Real & Util	74	9	8⅞	9	+ ⅛
Gen R & Ut pf	1	32	32	32	+ ⅛
Gen Refract	7	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Gen Tel	7	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	.....
Gen T & R	1	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	.....
Gillette Saf R	16	6¼	6¼	6¼	.....
Gimbel Bros	2	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	.....
Gimbel Br $6 pf	1	44	44	44	+ 1
Glidden Co	7	62½	62½	62½	— ⅛
Glidden cv pf	1	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	+ ⅛
Gobel (Adolf)	1	44	44	44	.....
Goebel Brew	2	2½	2½	2½	.....
Goodrich (BF)	23	20⅝	20⅜	20⅝	+ ⅛
Goodrich(BF) pf	4	87	87	87	.....
GoodyearT & R	9	27⅜	27⅛	27⅜	.....
Goodyr T & Rpf	1	96¼	96¼	96¼	.....
Gotham Hosiery	1	5½	5½	5½	.....
Graham-Pa Mot	11	1¼	1	1¼	+ ⅛
Granby ConMin	12	5¼	5⅛	5⅛	— ⅛
Grand Union	5	9	9	9	.....
Granite City Stl	4	8¾	8¾	8¾	.....
GtNorIrOre pf	4	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	.....
Gt Nor Ry pf	55	24⅝	24⅛	24⅜	+ ⅛
Gt West Sug	2	26	25⅞	26	+ ⅛
Green (H L)	1	33½	33½	33½	+ ⅛
Greyhound Cor	8	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜	+ ⅛
Greyhound pf	1	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	+ ⅛
Grum Aire En	4	3	3	3	.....
Guantan Sugar	1	4⅜

Obituaries

L. N. Shearer Dies; Veteran Harness Maker

Lewis N. Shearer, 78, for 55 years a harnessmaker in a second story workshop in Georgetown, died yesterday of a heart attack at his home at 3044 Dent Place Northwest.

Mr. Shearer, a native of Frederick, Md., had arrived at the hardware store owned by W. T. Weaver & Sons at 8:30 a. m., just as he had done every weekday morning since 1888, and became ill 15 minutes later. He was taken to his home, where he died shortly afterward.

Long a familiar figure to Georgetown residents, Mr. Shearer once had three helpers to carry on his thriving business. The advent of the automobile did away with the need for coworkers, but because he had a virtual monopoly on the local harnessmaking trade, he was never without an abundance of sewing and mending and repairing.

Chief among his clients in the early 1900s was the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal Co., which ordered 80 to 100 sets of harness at a time; fire departments, and other firms that utilized horse-drawn vehicles. Although his was one of 33 harness-making establishments, oldtimers recall that he was "the best leather man in town."

He is survived by his wife of the Dent Place address, and two sons, one now living in Swarthmore, Pa., and the other in Trenton, N. J.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. at the Joseph F. Birch funeral home, 3034 M Street Northwest. Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Frank W. Rose's Funeral Is Held; Prominent Mason

Funeral services for Frank W. Rose, 65, who was engaged in construction work here for many years, were held last night at the S. H. Hines funeral 2901 Fourteenth Street Northwest.

Mr. Rose died Saturday after several years' illness. Immediate cause of death was bronchial pneumonia.

Born at Vincennes, Ind., Mr. Rose came to Washington as a young boy. He attended local public and business schools, as well as George Washington University, and graduated from Bliss Electrical College. He was an engineer for several local concerns until the first World War, when he entered theestimating branch of the field as an employe of the Boyle-Robertson Construction Co. Before his retirement about seven years ago, he was associated with several construction companies, including the George E. Wyne and Whitty companies.

Mr. Rose was a thirty-second degree Mason.

Surviving are his wife, Daisy B. Rose; a son, Frank W. Rose, jr., of Marcus Hook, Pa., and a daughter, Patricia Rose of Washington.

Harry Thompson's Rites Tomorrow

Funeral services for Harry Thompson, 68, mechanician with the Department of Agriculture for 40 years, will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. at H. M. Padgett's funeral home, 131 Eleventh Street Southeast. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

Mr. Thompson, who died Sunday at Sibley Hospital, had resided at 729 Thirteenth Street Southeast.

A Washington native, he retired from Government service in 1935, after which he occasionally did private contracting work.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Cora Shaw Thompson; two daughters, Mrs. Myra Courtney and Mrs. Thelma Dorset; a sister, Mrs. Francis Darnall, and two granddaughters, Shirley Lee Courtney and Jean Lee Dorset, all of Washington.

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Dr. W. S. Small, Ex-Maryland Dean, Dies

Dr. Willard Stanton Small, 72, Washington educator and dean of the College of Education at the University of Maryland for seventeen years, died Sunday at the home of his son, Dr. Willard S. Small, jr., in Pasadena, Calif., news of his death reaching here yesterday.

DR. SMALL

Dr. Small, who lived at 1330 Irving Street Northwest, resigned his deanship two years ago and had been visiting relatives and friends in Massachusetts and Florida until this year, when he visited his son in California.

After serving as superintendent of schools in San Diego, Dr. Small came to Washington in 1906 as principal of Eastern High School. He served in that post until 1918. From 1915 to 1918 he was connected with the United States Office of Education, and from 1918 until 1922 he was a specialist in school hygiene for the office. Dr. Small was also a lecturer at George Washington University for 15 years.

He became dean of the school of education at the University of Maryland in 1923. An authority on many phases of education, Dr. Small was an author of many works on the subject. He was also a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity and of Phi Kappa honorary fraternity.

Surviving him besides his son in California, is another son, Lieut. John R. Small of the Coast Guard; and his wife, Mrs. Alice Turner Small.

Livingstone, D. C. Business Leader, Dies

Col. Colin Hamilton Livingstone, 79, an organizer of the Boy Scouts of America and a leader in banking, railroad and shipping circles in the East, died yesterday after an extended illness at the DeJarnette Sanatorium near Staunton, Va.

Born in St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, Colonel Livingstone came to Washington shortly before 1900 and in 1903 he became the vice president of the American National Bank here, forerunner of the Federal American National Bank and remained in that office until 1922.

He was one of the organizers and builders of the Great Falls & Old Dominion Railroad, now the Washington & Old Dominion Railroad, and was an organizer and president of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, which built cargo vessels at Alexandria during the First World War. He was a colonel on the staff of five West Virginia Governors.

In 1910, Colonel Livingstone, William D. Boyce of Chicago, Dr. James E. West of New York, and others organized the Boy Scouts of America and from 1910 until 1925 Colonel Livingstone headed its council.

He was active in church circles here, serving as a president of the board of trustees of the Fourth Presbyterian Church for many years. He was a founder and life member of the University Club of Washington, having graduated with honors from McGill University in Montreal in 1886.

Colonel Livingstone's club affiliations also included membership in the Chevy Chase Club, the National Press Club and the old Commercial Club. He was a fellow of the American Geographical Society.

Surviving are two sons, Kenneth M. Livingstone of Arlington, Va., and Edward A. Livingstone of Beaver, Pa.; a daughter, Mrs. Clarice L. Wheeler of Norfolk, Va.; a sister, Miss Agnes E. Livingstone of St. John, Canada, and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in Washington, time and other details to be announced later.

Herschel Ogden's Funeral Services To Be Held Today

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 1 (AP).—Funeral services for Herschel Coombs Ogden, 7., prominent West Virginia publisher, will be held tomorrow at St. Mathew's Episcopal Church.

Mr. Ogden, whose name for more than 50 years was synonymous with newspaper publishing in West Virginia, died last night in a Wheeling hospit.'. He had been in ill health for four years, but continued to direct his nespapers and numerous business enterprises u til a few days before his death. He had been in the hospital since before Christmas.

Mr. Ogden, who began his newspaper career on the old Wheeling Register shortly after his graduation from West Virginia University in 1887, owned a chain of 12 newspapers in West Virginia and one in North Carolina.

His wife died in 1934. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. D. W. Stubblefield of Charleston, and Mrs. George K. Nutting of Washington, D. C., and five grandchildren.

Davis' Sister Dies

Clarksburg, W. Va., Feb. 1 (AP).—Miss Emma K. Davis, sister of John W. Davis, New York attorney and former Democratic candidate for President, died unexpectedly today at her home here.

House Tribute To Dockweiler

California Congressmen yesterday paid tribute to former Representative John F. Dockweiler (Democrat) of California who died Sunday in Los Angeles.

Representative Lea (Democrat), dean of the California delegation, and Representative Voorhis (Democrat), told members of the House of Dockweiler's service in Congress, and said his record as district attorney of Los Angeles County had been outstanding. Representative Will Rogers (Democrat) of California paid tribute to Dockweiler's statesmanship.

Swedish Ship Sunk by Sub

The Navy announced yesterday that a small Swedish merchant vessel was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine early in January in the Atlantic Ocean off the northeastern coast of South America. Survivors have landed at Miami, Fla.

The sinking brings to 611 the Associated Press count of announced Allied and neutral merchant ship losses in the Western Atlantic since Pearl Harbor.

R. H. Sherard, Noted Author, Dies in London

London, Feb. 1 (AP).—Robert Harborough Sherard, 81, a great-grandson of the poet William Wordsworth, and himself a well-known author, died here Saturday.

His numerous books included several on the life of Oscar Wilde and in addition he had been a contributor to British, American and Australian newspapers since 1884.

C. P. Mort Found Dead of Gunshot In Emmitsburg

Frederick, Md. Feb. 1.—Charles P. Mort, 49, prominent businessman of Emmitsburg, took his life today by shooting himself in the head.

County authorities said Mort, an extensive property owner in Emmitsburg and former president of the Frederick County Firemen's Association, apparently killed himself shortly after arising this morning. His body was found about noon in the bedroom of his residence by his niece.

Mrs. Simpson's Services Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Simpson, 65, Washington native, will be held today at 1 p. m. at the S. H. Hines funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth Street Northwest. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

Mrs. Simpson died at her home, 124 Longfellow Street Northwest, on Sunday. She was a past matron of the Eastern Star. Her late husband, Harry C. Simpson, had been a printer for the Evening Star.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Blanche Rasley; a son, Roland C. Simpson; five sisters, Mrs. Fannie Walling, Mrs. Ida Sangston, Mrs. Blanche Briggs, Mrs. Elizabeth Hipner and Mrs. Annie Keller, and a brother, John Newgent, all of Washington.

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7:00	Amos 'n' Andy, *Campbell's Soups*
7:15	Harry James Orchestra, *Chesterfields*
7:30	American Melody Hour, *Bayer Aspirin*
8:00	Lights Out, *Ironized Yeast*
8:30	Al Jolson, *Colgate Tooth Powder*
8:55	Cecil Brown News, *Johns-Manville*
9:00	Burns & Allen, *Swan Soap*
9:30	Suspense
10:00	Only Yesterday
10:30	Public Affairs
10:45	Orchestra
11:00	News—Quincy Howe, *Hahns*
11:15	Arch McDonald's Moondial, *National Brewing*
11:45	Dancing in the Dark
12:00	Press News
12:05	Music After Twelve
1:00	Press News

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The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

District WPA Offices May Be Open Until June

Works Projects Administration is now officially dead but it'll be May or June before the headquarters office here is finally closed.

The 500 employes in the national office are supervising the liquidation of the State offices and they will be the very last to lose their jobs. The WPA employes, however, haven't much to worry about. They're very much in demand by other Federal agencies. Several hundreds already have been placed in, other bureaus within Federal Works Agency or they have been transferred to other Government agencies by the War Transfer Unit. The demand, in fact, for WPA employes by other agencies has been so great that the liquidation job may be delayed.

Former Senator H. H. Schwartz of Wyoming, is a good bet to succeed David J. Lewis on the National Mediation Board . . . That war agency official who advertised for a "gentile" secretary in a local newspaper is due to be bawled out by the President's Committee on Fair Employment Practices . . . The Senate Military Affairs Committee yesterday failed to approve the appointment of Hervey Allen, the noted author, to a War Manpower Commission job. Allen's appointment will be up again Thursday . . . War Manpower, incidentally, now plans to have a staff of around 86,000. Original estimates were as high as 100,000 but these were cut deeply by the congressional outcry against Government expansion. The commission now has about 60,000 employes. The U. S. Employment Service would be greatly expanded if Congress approves the plan.

Samuel Ordway, who as a Civil Service Commssioner, had many ideas on the improvement of the Federal service, now has an opportunity to give some of them a trial. He's now a lieutenant commander in the Navy and he has been making a study of Navy's over-all personnel problem for Assistant Secretary Ralph Bard. Ordway has been working closely with Charles Piozet, Navy's vicilian personnel director, who is one of the best in the business. Piozet started in Navy at a minor clerk's job and was Secretary to President Roosevelt when the President was Assistant Navy Secretary during World War 1.

War Production Board hasn't paid much attention to politics ad politicians in ranking appointments. The notable exception was the appointment of members on the Smaller War Plants Corporation which was created by Congress. Donald Nelson got the okay of Senators Truman, Mead, Murray and others before he set up the board. Lou Holland, for example, is the protege of Senator Truman. When the corporation started to bog down Nelson was caught in a congressional crossfire. The shake-up of the agency and the appointment of Col. Robert W. Johnson as chairman pleased and irritated congressional champions of small business. Some of Donald Nelson's associates have about concluded that politics don't pay.

Federal agencies now must face the fire of another congressional committee. The House Appropriations Committee will investigate Federal personnel, how appropriations are spent, and related matters. Moreover, the House is expected to approve an inquiry sponsored by Representative Howard Smith of Virginia, into the extra-legal acts of Federal agencies. Senator Byrd and Representative Ramspeck soon will start making the headlines on their personnel inquiries. The open season is here on Federal agencies and bureaucracy in general. The sooner the Administration moves in and acts vigorously to curb the abuses the better it'll be for everyone concerned.

A War Department memo has been sent out which implies that the lowest ranking officer has complete authority to fire civilians under him. This isn't the case, however. Accused employes still will be given a chance to be heard. The wording in the memo is ambiguous . . . Employes in War Department's insurance division in Tempo X building say they are still required to work overtime without overtime pay in direct violation of the orders by the President and the department itself. The employes say they are made to work 10 hours on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays

The McKellar bill that would force all Federal workers who are paid $4500 or more to be confirmed by the Senate is generally believed to be a cinch to get congressional approval. Only the Civil Service Reform Ledgue and the National League of Women Voters have spoken out against it. The Republicans aren't expected to oppose it. They believe that to be smart politics. They know the confirmation procedure will hamstring the executive agencies, that every person paid $500 or more will have to get political clearance from the Democrats, and that many a row will result. In 1944 the G. O. P. will charge that the Democrats are playing politics with the war and they'll be able to make it stick. The McKellar bill would play right into G. O. P. hands but the Democrats don't seem to realize it.

Dilemma

Topeka, Kans. (AP).—A Topeka milk company switched to horse-drawn vehicles after tires for its trucks became scarce.

Later it substituted wooden wheels for rubber wagon tires.

Now the company can't find any horseshoes and its stock is almost gone.

Youngest War Mother

Bainbridge, Md.—There is probably no sailor more proud of his mother than Eugene Craddock, 17, of Charlottesville, Va.

For his mother, Mrs. Alice May Craddock, 32, has been officially certified by the Navy Department as the youngest war mother in the United States.

Proud Papa Bill

Baby Hippo Joins Ranks At D. C. Zoo

HALF-BROTHER

And so Bill, the hippopotamus which Harvey Firestone gave to conservative President Coolidge in 1927, and which Coolidge gave to the Zoo, and his mate presented the Zoo another offspring yesterday.

Bill, one of the city's renowned fathers, has a new and splendid hippo baby, no larger than a good-sized house cat and of an as yet undetermined sex. But male or female, if it's Bill's, it's a good one and as handsome as a hippo ever could be.

His most recent offspring is Little Norris, born of a pigmy hippo mother in November. Mother of his present one is old Hannah, who has five or six already. In any event Little William, if it's a male, is doing fine, as is Hannah, in motherhood, and certainly old Bill, in his now well-accustomed fatherhood.

Businessmen Needed in Navy, Meeting Told

The U. S. Navy needs thousands of busines men and women to serve in administrative capacities, Comdr. O. J. Gullickson, U. S. Navy (ret.) director of the office of Naval Officer Procurement, told members of the Bethesda Chamber of Commerce last night in the Bethesda County Building.

Commander Gullickson said that men selected as officers don't have to be in perfect physical condition and that men between the ages of 19 to 50 and up to 54 would be eligible if they had sea experience. He urged men and women interested in enlisting to visit him at his office, 1320 G Street Northwest.

PUC Order On Gas Rates Is Vacated

Court Sends Case Back to Commission For Rehearing; Action Held 'Illegal'

Justice F. Dickinson Letts of the District Court yesterday vacated the order of the Public Utilities Commission of last October 13 allowing the Washington Gas Light Co. to increase their rates approximately $200,000 for the year beginning September 1, 1942, and returned the case to the commission for a rehearing.

The decision was based on the opinion that the P. U. C. had not allowed the "President's representatives" a proper opportunity to argue their contention that the increase in gas rates is inflationary in view of the present economic and war conditions; and that the OPA was not given the right of full intervention, that the commission refused to reconsider the sliding scale arrangement in the light of the Government program to prevent increases in the cost of living.

The sliding scale arrangement was formulated in 1935 and allowed the gas company to request increased rates when their earnings dropped below the 6½ per cent level and that a rate reduction would be made when the earnings rose above this figure. At the commission hearings which allowed the increaes it was stated by the company that its earnings had fallen below this level.

After the decision was rendered it was indicated by attorney's for the gas company that the present rates would probably remain in effect until the decision could be appealed to the United States Court of Appeals.

The decision resulted from arguments before Justice Letts last December 22 and 23.

At the same time the court dismissed two appeals by the League of Women Shoppers and various civic bodies which attacked the PUC order increasing the rates. The court ruled that these bodies are "voluntary unincorporated associations" and are "without capacity to sue and accordingly may not prosecute this appeal."

In concluding his decision to vacate the rate increase order, Justice Letts stated: "I think upon the record it is clear that the commission closed its ears to the insistent demands of appellants to give consideration to the new factors and in that respect I find that the action of the Commission was arbitrary and illegal."

Whitehurst Sworn In as Chief Of Revised District OCD Setup

Post Staff Photo

SWEARING IN CEREMONY—Left to right—Geoffrey M. Thornett, secretary of Board of Commissioners; Commissioner John Russell Young and Capt. H. C. Whitehurst

Moving rapidly to revitalize the District Civilian Defense organization as a regular department of the District government, the Commissioners yesterday swore in Highway Director H. C. Whitehurst as director and ceded to him the authority over the personnel of the Citizens' Defense Corps, the Evacuation Authority and the Volunteer Office.

United States Coordinator John Russell Young at the same time relinquished responsibility for the Civilian Defense Committees, the Civilian Mobilization and the Casualty Information Service. The defense committees will remain in an advisory capacity to the director, and the Civilian Mobilization organization will be an auxiliary to the department.

Whitehurst, who still is not ready to announce his full plans for the new department, intends to remain in the District Building, moving the headquarters of the protective services from the present locality in the old Toner School, Twenty-fourth and F Streets Northwest, to the former suite of the old fire-alarm switchboard on the fifth floor of the District Building.

Col. Lemuel Bolles, executive director of civilian defense for the metropolitan area, will remain in the Toner Building, as will also the civilian mobilization division. Maj. Ennalls Waggaman, recently appointed assistant to Bolles for the metropolitan area, also will have quarters in the Toner School.

J. N. Robertson, District engineer of streets, was made deputy director of highways yesterday, to enable him to carry on the work of the highway department and Whitehurst to devote his full time to his new job. Whitehurst will continue to receive his salary from the highway fund.

Clear Sailing Is Expected For Rutledge

The Senate is expected to confirm on Thursday the appointment of Wiley Blount Rutledge, 48-year-old justice of the District Court of Appeals, to the Supreme Court bench. The Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday approved his nomination by a vote of 11 to 0.

Four Senators withheld their votes—pointing the way to possible opposition to the appointment when it is brought up on the floor.

Whether the opposition will develop or not apparently depends on a clarification of Rutledge's stand on the Administration's court enlargement bill of 1937.

Senator Ferguson (Republican) of Michigan said that he had raised the question of the Iowan's views on the bitterly fought court bill, but declared that he had not received a "satisfactory answer."

Seven Democrats and four Republican committee members voted for approval.

Senator O'Mahoney (Democrat) of Wyoming, chairman of a subcommittee which had previously indorsed the nomination, pointed out that the Senate had confirmed Rutledge's appointment to the local appellate bench in 1939, and said that the court-packing question had not been raised then.

Woman Made First 'V-Man' For War Work

Mrs. Mildred P. Smith of 1235 Seventeenth Street Northeast yesterday became the District's first "V-man" when she was awarded a certificate by the Washington Junior Board of Trade because of her voluntary war activities.

MRS. SMITH

Commissioner John Russell Young made the presentation in his office at the District Building. Young, Christine Sadler of The Post, president of the Women's National Press Club, and Bernard J. Ness, president of the Junior Board, were judges.

Mrs. Smith, chairman of private duty nurses at Doctors Hospital, was chosen as this week's V-man because she teaches standard and advanced first aid, is treasurer of the Trinidad Defense Area, is registrar for the civilian defense volunteer office in the Northeast area, and chairman of civilian mobliization in Trinidad. In addition, she is studying Chinese, with a view to aiding in the rehabilitation of China after the war.

Street Ruts Cause Heavy Bus Damage

Inspections to Tell Full Story; Some Taxis Held Out of Service

The damage caused to Capital Transit Co. buses on the ice-rutted streets during the past five days equalled in some incidents one year's normal wear and tear, it was reported yesterday by A. F. McDougall, the company's superintendent of automotive equipment.

The exact damage hasn't been determined yet, but already 146 springs, 44 drive shafts, 16 propeller shafts and 14 differentials have been broken, which means that those buses were rendered inactive the rest of the day that the damage occurred.

McDougald said that normally 40 or 45 buses daily were inactive due to maintenance work, but last night 82 buses remained to be fixed. Since last Thursday when the snow and sleet first arrived the number of "crippled" buses varied.

He said mechanics have "worked practically 24 hours a day in repairing."

To keep their "rolling stock rolling," McDougald said, "a tightening-up routine was used to get the less-damaged of the vehicles back on the street.

"Wear on tires has not been unduly great," he said. "However, a certain amount of damage can be expected from the chains, such as cuts."

Would-be taxi riders found, to their chagrin, that cabs were difficult to find from Thursday to Sunday.

John H. Royer, jr., official of the Premier Cab Co., told The Post that although that organization sent out taxis as usual because of the tremendous need for them, quite a few are out of use now for wheel realignment and other adjustments.

"So far, there are no casualties in transmission," he added, "but actually we won't know the extent of the damage done during the snowy days until the biennual inspection of taxis February 8. The examination of cabs is even more strict than that of private cars, and the inspectors are especially particular about front-end construction. That will tell the tale of just what the snow-rutted streets cost our taxis."

Anacostia Flier Reported Killed In Glider Crash

Flight Officer Wilbur W. Boyd, of route 4, Anacostia, was killed Sunday at Victorville, Calif., when his plane crashed while towing a glider.

BOYD

The War Department listed his mother, Mrs. Susan Boyd, of the Anacostia address, as next of kin.

Flight Officer Boyd received his wings on July 2, 1942, after completing a 32-week flying school course at Ellington Field, Tex.

First reports said a plane carrying 10 or 11 men were injured in the crash.

Ethics of Serving

School Trains Restaurant Labor Supply

VIRGINIA CRANFORD,
Post Staff Photo

Hot Shoppe waitress and restaurant school graduate, shows the proper posture for serving

By Scott Hart
Post Staff Writer

A little sung-of alma mater, with a legion of alumni, is pouring recruits into the shattered ranks of restaurant workers—which normally number some 40,000 here—and despite the season's hurry, equips them well in personality, posture and voice.

In some probability, the waitress who served you that one cup of coffee yesterday and smiled, though you forgot to tip, is an old grad, for the alumni grows daily.

Sponsored by distributive education process under the public schools, with Miss Katherine Cope as coordinator and Cornelia Searle as instructor, the school uses facilities of the Washington Restaurant Association and features a personality course. Student ages range from the child labor law minimum to any age where one can learn, stand and work.

Just now, the association concentrates on enrolling housewives—and it doesn't matter if they've never worked. They're responding, too; and once "they've had the feel of earning money they want to stay right with the job," said an official.

There is much they can do in the annual six-billion-dollar industry. Some can be waitresses, others silver wrappers, napkin folders. They can be placed in work right now. Fifty million meals are served daily in the Nation and the industry, like all others, has suffered great overturns in help.

The school, which awards diplomas, more than often turns out a product deluxe. There was the student, fresh from the posture class, who strolled one day down F Street and was spontaneously offered a job as a model. She enthusiastically accepted, thus getting detoured forever from the restaurant business.

And of that slight matter, the tip: "It is poor salesmanship to indicate in any way that a tip is expected or that a certain amount is anticipated. It is discourteous to show disappointment because the size of the tip is less than is customarily received . . . she should pick up the money from the tray, look at the customer and sincerely say 'thank you.'" To see that he gets the grissle upon his next visit is unspeakable ethics.

Give the patron time to study the menu, is another tenet. And "the salesperson who goes on the assumption that most customers are unreasonable and that all of them are a nuisance is a failure at the outset because of her attitude. Her prime mission is made plain: "The salesperson's duty is to sell and to serve, not to be entertaining." Heavy perfume is out. Make-up should be conservative. Then such language as a la carte, hors d'oeuvres and a la mode are explained.

In the basement of the association headquarters at 2003 I Street Northwest is new kitchen equipment, including a big cook stove. A production cooking program will be instituted in a few days. Training is intensive and free diplomas come after about four weeks of instruction and the graduates go forth—never to yell "two sunny-side up" or "one on a raft," because one lecture has to do with dignity and the unmannerliness of slang.

Defense Unit Of Citizens Resents Snub

District Council Made Impotent by Reorganization, Tucker Declares

Under the new reorganization of civilian defense which went into effect here yesterday, the District Civilian Defense Council, composed of elected representatives of the people, has been rendered impotent and may as well disband, Leonard Tucker, council chairman, told the Police and Fire Protection Committee of the Federation of Citizens Associations last night.

Tucker, one of a large group of citizens being interviewed by the committee on civilian defense problems, revealed that neither he nor any of the members of the council had been consulted about the proposed reorganization despite the commissioners' announcement after the event that a special committee had been working on the reorganization for many weeks.

None of Chiefs Consulted

An inquiry showed, Tucker said, that not one of the chiefs of the volunteer services of OCD had been consulted either. Tucker said that although the defense committees had been elected by District residents in the distinct understanding that they were to act as mayor and town council for civilian defense in each area, the committees and their council have no more voice than any citizen who has never participated in OCD activities.

The council chairman pointed out that although the council and committee members are "permitted" under the new order to make suggestions to improve civilian defense, they are not allowed to go out in blackouts and so can have no way of determining success of blackouts. He said that the council and the area committees are specifically prohibited from asking for official reports of wardens and others so that they have no possible source of information.

Tucker maintained that civilian defense could not be successful in Washington until the citizens committees were permitted to coordinate activities in each area.

"Run-Around" Deplored

A similar note was struck by Joseph Deckman, president of the Randle Highlands Citizens Association and battalion chief of the Rescue Squad in Area 7. Deckman said civilians here were supposed to volunteer to protect themselves in case of enemy action but from the way they were being given "the run-around it looks as if it were somebody else who was going to be bombed and the citizens were just horning in on something which was none of their business."

Deckman detailed at length equipment and training or lack of training of rescue squads. The equipment was splendid, he said, but the only training of any sound value given was that in the Red Cross first aid classes. The rescue squad work, he said, was hazardous, involving shoring-up of bombed buildings and the like, but the complete lack of training in almost every section would cost the lives of people involved if they ever really had to see action.

Deckman scored the lack of cooperation between all services of the OCD here. Lack of real training and lack of an effort to get all services working together was lowering the morale of the rescue service, and making volunteers feel that all their efforts were completely futile, he asserted.

Manor Park

A resolution deploring the stand of the District Commissioners in opposing reestablishment of the office of People's Counsel was adopted last night by the Manor Park Citizens Association.

In addition the association adopted motions calling for action by the Commissioners in securing congressional legislation to establish a fund for removal of snow from the sidewalks; commending Public Utilities Commissioner Gregory Hankin in opposing the "interference" of the regional committee with what the association called purely local matters; asking the Capital Transit Co. to stop "bunching" schedules on the J12 bus line and another asking the company to offer tokens and passes for sale in downtown stores for greater convenience and speed.

Progressive, Georgetown

Resolutions asking the District Commissioners to seek enactment of legislation that would allow them to use the services of the auxiliary police to augment the Metropolitan Police were adopted last night by the Progressive Citizens Association of Georgetown.

Other resolutions included those commending the Capital Transit Co., for their handling of the transportation during last week with difficult driving problems vastly increasing their task.

Another resolution asked the Federal Government to pay 50 per cent of the District expenses.

Mrs. Oscar Kudell, chairman of the education committee, reported that she had appeared at a hearing on the teachers' pay raise bill before Senator McCarran and advocated a $300 bonus for the teachers.

Victory Sidelights

Mrs. Roosevelt Indorses Women's War Savings Drive

Starting its campaign to enroll, through a house-to-house canvass, Washington's estimated 300,000 women into the Women's War Saving League, the women's division of the District of Columbia War Savings Committee yesterday received a pledge from Mrs. Roosevelt to actively support the war savings program for the duration.

The league was founded because the District of Columbia War Savings Committee, of which H. L. Rust, jr., is chairman, believes that the final success of any sustained, long-term bond-purchasing program depends upon the attitude of the family, and this in turn upon the attitude and support of the woman in the home. The Civilian Defense Block Leader Corps is cooperating with the Treasury's war savings committee in making the house-to-house canvass.

Essential Driving Rules Outlined

The District OPA yesterday ruled that a motorist could drive his car when needed to provide for its maintenance, such as to a garage for repairs or tire inspection, to a dealer to sell it or to a place of storage.

Drivers were advised to ask themselves the question of whether, in view of the war effort and needs of the community, it was necessary to drive their car before they did it.

It was also suggested that driving to important meetings could be avoided most of the time by using other means of conveyance.

330 Stirrup Pumps Available in Georgetown

Three hundred and thirty stirrup pumps have been made available to Georgetown residents, Walter F. Bramhall, chairman of Georgetown Civilian Defense Committee, announced yesterday. The pumps may be obtained at People's Drug Store, 103 M Street Northwest, upon presentation of a certificate issued by the purchaser's sector warden.

Stamp Album Drive To Continue

James W. S. Hardey, advertising director of Woodward & Lothrop, chairman of the campaign to have owners fill out their war stamp albums, said yesterday the campaign will be continued through February.

Over the Nation it was estimated there are 100 million albums that have not been filled. An intensive advertising campaign to assure the success of the program is being conducted.

Doing Treasurer Of Red Cross Drive

Charles H. Doing, vice president of the Washington Loan & Trust Co., has accepted appointment as treasurer for the 1943 metropolitan area war fund drive of the Red Cross, Campaign Chairman A. G. Neal announced today.

Doing is a veteran in Red Cross work, and has served in various capacities for the Community Chest campaign and has been on the board of awards for the disaster relief committee of the Red Cross. A member of the Washington Board of Trade, he is treasurer of the National Homeopathic Hospital and a trustee of the John Dickson Home. His home is in Wesley Heights.

U. of Md. Offers Course In Military German

In preparation for the day when American troops will march into Germany proper, the University of Maryland today announced that it would offer a course in milittary German.

Purpose of the course, college authorities said, would be to acquaint students, particularly those who are members of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, with Nazi military terminology and to enable them to read German military books and articles not translated into English.

Papers Forwarded To Service Men

Copies of local papers are being forwarded to servicemen stationed in this country by the Cosmopolitan Club of Washington, which limits the service to relative and friends of members. The service resulted from the many requests by men in the armed forces interested in news from their home town.

District Hopes To Salvage Car Sharing

The District Traffic Department began yesterday a series of conferences with the OPA and the Office of Defense Transportation to work out some way of salvaging the moribund car-sharing plan.

Admitting that the figures of the American Automobile Association were accurate in indicating that the plan has not gone over, the Traffic Department is still hopeful that some plan can be adopted that would effectively reduce the number of persons driving singly to work.

"One reason why it has been almost impossible to organize car-sharing 100 per cent in the District is because of the staggered hours," a department spokesman said. "Even when we find persons from the same agencies by some coincidence living in the same neighborhood, it is an even rarer coinicidence to find them going to work at anywhere near the same time."

Another reason given for the slowness of the program in getting under way in Washington was the refusal of the OPA to clarify its ruling that committees in war plants be appointed to certify the car sharing of persons requesting supplementary gas rations. At present there are reported to be 71 such committees already organized among the Federal agencies, representing 30,000 employes.

Statistics from the highway planning survey coroborate those of the AAA, showing the average number of persons in a car with an A sticker is 1.90; in a car with a B sticker, 2; with a C sticker, 2.06; with a T sticker, 2.51, and in cars with undetermined stickers, 2.08.

City News in Brief

The dismissal in 1940 from the Metropolitan Police Force of Detective Sergts. Hubert E. Brodie and Leo Murray for accepting a bribe was upheld yesterday by the United States Court of Appeals here. The opinion ruled that the police trial board has jurisdiction in such matters.

The two dismissed policemen lost a similar appeal before Justice Matthew F. McGuire in District Court in March of last year. The original charge against the former officers included accepting a bribe from a gambling house, failure to report law violation and neglect of duty.

Zoot-Suiters Sought For Robbing Paper Boy

Police last night were seeking two youthful "yokers" who wore "zoot suits" and robbed a 12-year-old newspaper carrier of $2 at Eighteenth and Otis Streets Northeast.

Johnnie Peyton, 12, of 1809 Otis Street Northeast, reported that he had been collecting on his route and was on his way home when the two youths, one about 15 and the other younger, approached him.

One caught the news carrier from behind and put a strangle hold on him while the other boy frisked him.

Night Jobs for Girls Under 18 Favored

The Southeast Business Men's Association yesterday asked the Senate District Committee to sponsor legislation permitting girls under 18 years of age to hold jobs in the evenings.

Present law forbids girls under 18 from staying on the job after 6 p. m. Manpower shortages and new demands for evening hours were cited as reasons behind the request.

23,962 Cases Filed In Claims Branch

During 1942 there were 23,962 cases filed in the Small Claims and Conciliation Branch of Municipal Court with amounts claimed totaling $16,368.80.

Of the total number of cases filed 2192 were settled out of court on petition of the plaintiff. The clerk's office reported they had taken in $25,474.10 in fees during the year.

Critics' Forum to Open Winter Reviews Tomorrow

The Critics' Forum—Catholic thought on the best sellers—will open its winter series of reviews tomorrow in the Mayflower Hotel at 8:30 p. m. The Rev. Dr. John K. Cartwright, founder and director of the Critics' Forum, will review Marcia Davenport's best seller, "The Valley of Decision."

The Notre Dame de Namur Guild is collaborating with the Critics' Forum in presenting Dr. Cartwright. The proceeds will be applied to a fund to repatriate sisters of the order interned in Japan. Raymond Garrity, president of the Kiwanis Club, will be chairman.

Theft of $1365 In Gems Reported

The theft of jewels valued at $1365 was reported to police yesterday by Mrs. Landon N. Burchell, 1808 Twenty-fourth Street Northwest. The jewels had been taken from a bureau in her home, she said.

Dupont Circle

The Dupont Circle Citizens Association yesterday heard Mrs. B. S. Matthews, local attorney, speak in support of the Griffenhagen Report, which asks reorganization of the District of Columbia government. Mrs. Matthews called attention to the 69 agencies which help in the governing of the city and also to the 29 Federal agencies which render service. A consolidation of all these under 17 administrative departments was asked.

CLUB NEWS

By Genevieve Reynolds
The Post Club Editor

It's off—the General Federation of Women's Clubs' 1943 convention, scheduled in Indianapolis, May 10 to 15. Announcement of the cancellation came through Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, president of the organization.

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Referring to the cancellation, Mrs. Whitehurst said: 'Mr. Eastman, director of ODT, pointed out to organization leaders the present transportation difficulties. A poll of State leaders was taken and the majority answering questionnaires explained that they patriotically were willing to refrain from holding a national convention if it impedes transportation. However, they believe that such meetings are essential to the preservation of democratic ideals and the promotion of the war program."

Also, the federation leaders asked that Mrs. Whitehurst request Mr. Eastman to see that Government departments do likewise. These women believe that various departmental conferences, calling members of organizations from different States to a focal point to receive instructions which have been published in newspapers, also create transportation difficulties and are nonessential, extravagant and unwise.

The General Federation of Women's Clubs was one of the first organizations to promote an active war service program.

Holding Board Sessions

Meanwhile both the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Children of the American Revolution are holding national board meetings in Washington this week. The D. A. R. board will convene tomorrow morning at Memorial Continental Hall, while the C. A. R. board has scheduled its meeting at 10:30 a. m. Thursday at the same place.

State regents of the D. A. R. are holding a special session today, followed by a "Dutch treat" dinner tonight for State regents and national officers at the Mayflower Hotel.

A special feature of the dinner is a presentation of the song, "I Pledge Allegiance to the Flag," written by Lieut. John H. Lloyd, U. S. N. R. Alfred R. Markin, a specialist, first class, in the Navy, will sing the song, accompanied by the composer. Miss Lillian Chenoweth, vice president general, is making the arrangements. Mrs. William H. Pouch, president general of the D. A. R., is coming from New York for the meetings.

Mrs. Louise Mosely Heaton of Clarksdale, Miss., national president of the C. A. R., has arrived in town for the board meeting of her organization. National officers and chairmen, as well as State presidents, are arriving hourly to be present at the board session Thursday.

Doings of the Day

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA, District Chapter 212, holds business meeting, 8 p. m., at Willard Hotel . . . **PENNSYLVANIA STATE SOCIETY** gives Valentine dance, 9 p. m. to midnight, Shoreham Hotel . . . A group of hostesses introduces newcomers . . . **BETA SIGMA PHI,** Eta and Theta chapters, meet, 8 p. m., at 710 Fourteenth Street Northwest. Mrs. Samuel Doek presents a group of her own published poems based on Jewish life and philosophy at cultural meeting of **BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL DIVISION OF HADASSAH,** 8:30 p. m., Jewish Community Center. Miss Selma Chesler gives review of current events . . . Miss M. Florence Dunlap, Y. W. C. A., Kamp Kahlert director, and Miss Muirhead, members of Kamp committee, leave to attend New York section of the American Camping Association's conference at Pennsylvania Hotel . . . Judge Lynn Chapter, D. A. R., celebrates its thirty-fifth birthday anniversary with party, following monthly meeting at Chapter House, 1732 Massachusetts Avenue Northwest . . . Phyllis Lyman Colony, **NATIONAL SOCIETY OF NEW ENGLAND WOMEN,** holds annual Dutch treat luncheon meeting, 12:30 p. m., at the Kenesaw Apartments. Mrs. Arthur C. Houghton, State chairman of national defense, D. C., D. A. R., talks on "National Defense" . . . **WOMEN'S CITY CLUB** Spanish class, 11 a. m., under direction of Lydia Driggs of George Washington University . . . Mrs. Julia Talmadge of Georgia speaks on D. A. R. radio program, 9:45 a. m., over Station WOL . . . **BRITISH WAR RELIEF SHOP,** 714 Thirteenth Street, holds "shop warming," 10 a. m. to 3 p. m., to celebrate its first month in new home and to welcome new committee members, including Lady Noble, Lady Dill, Lady Balieu, Lady Evill and Mrs. Monier Williams.

Bits of This and That . . .

Chapter G is hostess at monthly reciprocity luncheon of **P. E. O. SISTERHOOD** tomorrow at 12:30 p. m. at Y. W. C. A., with Mrs. T. Bruce King presiding. For reservations telephone Mrs. Homer L. Shantz, 2415 Twentieth Street, or Mrs. King, 2331 Cathedral Avenue. Unaffiliated P. E. O.'s in the city are invited to attend. Preceding the luncheon the presidents' round table convenes at 11 a. m. at the Y. W. C. A., with the chairman, Mrs. L. A. Wilkinson, presiding. The "Presidents' Round Table" is composed of the presidents of the 20 district chapters and past State presidents as associate members . . . Pat Rooney, popular tap dancer and movie actor, will be the principal entertainer at the **HELPERS OF THE CITY OF HOPE OF LOS ANGELES SANATORIUM'S** fashion show and card party tonight, 8:30 p. m., at the Jewish Community Center . . . Over a period of weeks the nutrition committee of the **AMERICAN WOMEN'S VOLUNTARY SERVICES,** with the backing of the District nutrition committee and subnutrition committee of the OCD, has been making a thorough study of the nutrition problems. Today, 2 p. m., the group will air its findings at a meeting in the new Municipal Building. New officers of the **73 CLUB** recently elected include Mrs. Guy M. Gillette of Iowa, president; Mrs. Anthony J. Diamond of Alaska, first vice president; Mrs. J. Hardin Peterson of Florida, second vice president, and Mrs. J. Buell Synder of Pennsylvania, secretary and treasurer . . . **SOROPTIMIST CLUB** features "Women in Uniform for Victory" program at its luncheon meeting tomorrow, 1 p. m., Willard Hotel. Guest of honor and speakers will be Lieut. Helen Cooper and Lieut. Barbara Smith, WAACS (j. g.); Lelia Stevens, lieutenant (j. g.); Florence T. Judge, WAVES, and Ensign Mary C. Lyne, SPAR.

That Wild Arnold Girl

By Irene Lennen Ernhart

The story thus far: Jenny Arnold is disgusted with her own weakness when she finds herself falling in love with Bill Winslow, to whom her older sister, Madeline, is engaged. She can't get him out of her mind, and yet she has many other things to think about, including the buying back of a certain letter which her frivolous mother Celia, indiscreetly sent to the oily young dancing master, Tony Torrento. Then, to complicate matters further, Perry Fadwell, the handsome youth to whom Madeline was once secretly married—until her father heard about it and obtained an annulment—returns to the city. To keep him from interfering with Madeline's new romance, Jenny tries to entertain him. Succeeding too well, she is warding off his advances when Bill Winslow rushes in and knocks him down. Madeline deliberately lets Bill believe Jenny was secretly married to Fadwell.

CHAPTER XIX

Perry ordered more drinks. Jenny searched the crowd anxiously, hoping that Madeline had had the good sense to leave with Bill.

Madeline had. She had told Bill she wanted to go home at once.

"But we just got here," Bill protested. He was still trying to figure out the scene that had just taken place. Jenny Arnold had been frightened and angry. Yet when he had taken her part and given that blonde fellow a punch she had changed like a flash.

"Oh, Bill, darling," Madeline whispered. Her soft arm pressed his against her side. "I've never seen you angry before. You were so—so quick—and so fierce you almost scared me."

Bill didn't even seem to hear her. He tucked her into the car and came around to his own side, slid under the steering wheel and started the engine. "Who was that fellow?" he asked abruptly.

"Who?" Madeline's voice cracked strangely. "Oh——you mean back there——the one——"

"Yes."

"Perry—Perry Fadwell."

"Does Jenny like him?"

"Well—rather."

Bill threw the car into gear and whirled it out of the parking lot. He drove furiously, almost as if he were still angry.

"You mean she's in love with him?" He gave Madeline a searching look and she shrugged in answer.

"Where's he from? I haven't seen him around before."

"Oh, he's—been away."

"Well, what's so queer about it? Why does your voice sound so strange? Is there some mystery about him?"

"It's just that—two years ago Jenny—well Jenny was in love with him. There was a terrible mess."

"A mess?" He swallowed. His mouth felt as if it were full of cotton. "What sort of a mess?"

"There was an elopement, Bill, and an—an annulment. The family's kept it a secret and we never speak of it. Please don't say a word to anyone because no one around here even dreams of what actually happened. Perry just came back—very suddenly."

"Oh—I see," Bill said slowly. He brought the car to a stop a little farther on, pulling it up into a small lane. He sat unmoving and silent for a while, thinking, unaware of Madeline sitting in strained silence beside him.

He felt as if the bottom had dropped out of things, and yet he had known all along what a harridan Jenny was. Her own sister had as much as said she was wild. He'd seen her out with Tony Torrento. Maybe the affair with this Fadwell fellow, the marriage and annulment, had embittered her. "Where'd they elope to?" he asked stupidly.

He fumbled in his pockets for a package of cigarettes.

Madeline didn't look at him. She seemed embarrassed. "Oh, some little town—Lakeview I think it was," she murmured. "Does it matter?"

"Of course not." He changed his mind about the cigarette, put the crumpled package back in his pocket and reached out his arms for Madeline.

She felt soft and sweet. The perfume she wore was heavy, exotic. But her hair was soft and fine against her face. And her eyes lifted to his were wide and beautiful.

Jenny's were so dark. He wondered vaguely whether Jenny wore perfume. He remembered that day he'd kissed her there had been a fragrance about her face, exciting, mysteriously sweet.

He bent and kissed Madeline. His mouth on hers was hard, brutal, without his realizing it, until she pushed him away.

"What's wrong, darling? You seem so—so angry—or something?" she whispered.

"I'm sorry." He drew back. When he was married to Madeline he'd be able to stop thinking of Jenny.

"Look, Madeline," he said. He took both her hands, held them in his. "Why couldn't we get married right away, say day after tomorrow? Would you be very disappointed if we did that, instead of having a big church wedding and a lot of——"

"Publicity? You hate publicity, don't you, darling," Madeline said sympathetically.

With a sickening feeling he realized for the hundredth time that she still thought he was the other Bill Winslow. Now was the time to tell her and get it over with. It wouldn't matter anyway, but it was better to be square about it.

"I don't care about the publicity. I want to explain——"

"But darling I'd counted on the wedding and we've planned everything."

"It's just that I've had to change my plans, Madeline. I'm to go back to New York in a few days instead of waiting until September, and——" He had just decided that he'd tell Ames tomorrow he was going back at once. Then he wouldn't see Jenny any more until the wedding, and after the wedding he and Madeline would be in New York permanently.

"You mean you'll come back for the wedding! Oh, but darling, that will really make it so much more romantic. Don't you see? We'll be so eager to see each other by September—wild to see each other—and you'll be coming to get me. Oh it's going to be lovely, all of it!"

He wished Madeline would not be so excited about it. Because it made him feel uneasy and disloyal to think that he could not feel the same eagerness and anticipation. If she realized that he was under no compulsion to go back to New York until the wedding—that he was running away——

(To Be Continued.)

Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn

Championship technique was exhibited by both sides during the play of today's deal. West made a fine defensive play, throwing away his good diamond king to avoid being endplayed, but South had another stratagem by which to make his four-spade contract.

West led the king queen of clubs, which won, and shifted to a heart, which was taken in dummy. Declarer drew the adverse trumps in two leads and eliminated hearts by cashing the king and trumping a small heart in his hand.

Realizing that he could afford to lose only one diamond trick and that the suit was probably divided 4-2, South led the diamond ace, hoping that the defender, who was short, held either the king or the queen. In this case a diamond continuation would throw that opponent in, forcing him to return either a heart or a club, which declarer could trump in his hand while discarding a diamond from the board.

Today's Hand

Both Sides Vulnerable
SOUTH DEALER

	♠ Q 10 7 4 2 ♡ A K 8 ◇ 9 4 2 ♣ J 3	
♠ 3 ♡ 10 9 7 6 3 ◇ K 7 ♣ A K Q 9 7	NORTH WEST EAST SOUTH	♠ J 9 ♡ Q J 5 ◇ Q 10 8 6 ♣ 8 6 4 2
	♠ A K 8 6 5 ♡ 4 2 ◇ A J 5 3 ♣ 10 5	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	2 ♣	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: K ♣.

ODDS and ENDS

By Jeanne Contini

Chapeaux, New Guinea Division—According to a recent report issued by the War Department, the "Johnny Jeep" hat has gone over like a Commando raid with the Army nurses stationed down Papua way. The base is 12,000 miles from the United States, where John Fredericks, Inc., creators of the "Johnny Jeep," were recently awarded a prize in war bonds for the design.

Mexican Influence—The country of silver and mural painters will exert a noticeable influence over the styling of our summer clothes. We'll see blouses whose sleeves are made of tiers of rippling lace . . . braid-embroidered cotton shirts . . . sharp, hot colors. Mexico is also beginning to be exploited as a source for the fine hand-made things that used to come from China and Puerto Rico.

Pure Hunch—With the Russians appearing not only in headlines but also on the stage, where the Soviet fashions have a chance to catch the spotlight, our guess is that sooner or later we're in for a renaissance of the high-necked Russian blouse. It's fine in cotton and doesn't require too much fabric. Being loose-fitting it very well sets off a narrow skirt.

Miscellaneous—F Street windows, with their navy blue, white ruffles and bright hats make you forget every five minutes that you're knee-deep in slush . . . There is a scarf, a copy of the famous icemist fascinator that is mostly wool and comes in marvelous colors all for about $1.00 at the Hecht Company . . . If you pass by the glove counter at Jelleff's, look at the pretty white fabric gloves lined in pastel pink or blue, you can turn back the cuff to show the lining.

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Toiletries—Street Floor

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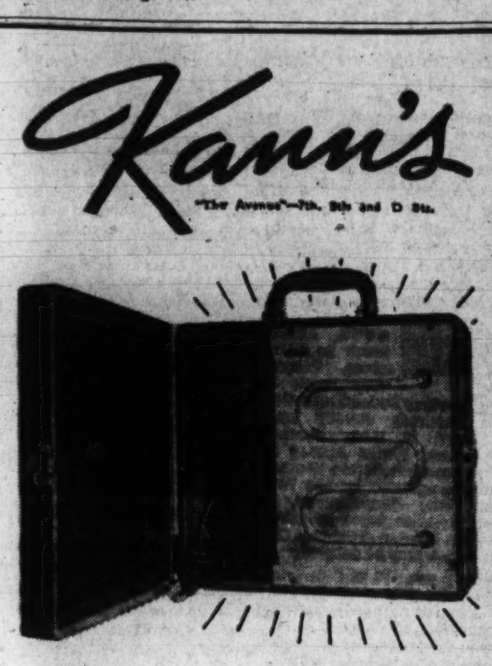

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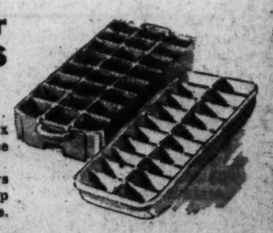
$1.59 each



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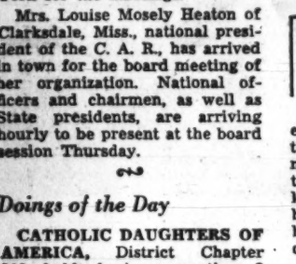

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IF A COLD THREATENS, put a few drops of clinic-tested Vicks Va-tro-nol up each nostril at first sniffle or sneeze. (Use as directed in package.) This effective, specialized medication is expressly designed to aid your natural defense against colds—and if used in time, Va-tro-nol helps prevent many colds from developing. (Even when your head is all stuffed up from a mean head cold, Vicks Va-tro-nol relieves sniffly, sneezy distress, makes breathing easier.)

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NOTE: If the miserable symptoms of the cold are not relieved promptly—or if more serious trouble seems to threaten—call in your family doctor right away.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Three Girls of Very Limited Social Experience, Who Come From Small Town, Ask Detailed Advice On How to Conduct Themselves at Large Reception

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: We are three young girls from a very small town. Our social life has been very limited. Will you tell us how to approach a receiving line? Does one give one's name to the first person in line, and to every person thereafter,—as, "I am Miss Jones?" If Miss Jones is accompanied by a young man, does she introduce him to members of the receiving line? Or does the first person in the receiving line ask each guest's name and then present that guest to others in the line? (This may sound awfully dumb to you; but we need detailed instructions).

Upon taking leave of a guest whose social position is higher than one's own, should that person be first to say, "I am glad to have met you, etc.?" Also, can you give us the name of a good book of etiquette, other than Emily Post's? We need this information by the middle of the week, so please don't fail us. Thank you very much.

DUMB DORAS.

A-B-Cs of Getting by The Receiving Line

DEAR D. D.: At large receptions in private homes, where entertaining is done on a formal scale, guests are "announced" to the receiving line,—or rather, to the hostess standing at the head of the line,—by the butler or footman. Whereupon the hostess shakes hands with the guest, when he (or she) comes within reach, makes a bit of conversation, and "passes" the guest on to the next person in line, with some cordial remark which identifies each to the other, in case they have not previously met. Second in line is the guest of honor, for whom the reception is given; and it may be taken for granted, as a rule, that most guests know, in advance, the name of the personage they have assembled to "honor," whereas that personage may be hearing the names of many of them for the first time.

So, the hostess might be expected to say, "Mrs. Personage, this is Miss Jones, who works in the War Department with my husband." This gives Mrs. Personage some basis for registering a "seeing" interest in you; and while you are saying the customary "few words" to her, your hostess will be chatting with Mr. John Doe, who accompanied you. Mrs. Personage may or may not remember to "put you across" to the next person in line, by repeating your name clearly with an identifying phrase. (Most reception lines, you probably will live to learn, are a pretty confused hubbub at best.)

If the receiving line is being thronged by a bevy of new arrivals, you may be shoved along more or less without benefit of helpful introduction, and in that case,—supposing you find yourself face to face with members of the receiving line whom you don't know and who don't know you and haven't "caught the name,"—you would say, "How do you do? I am Miss Jones." And you would by all means let the man who accompanied you shift for himself similarly; unless you encountered an old and good friend in the receiving line, who hadn't met your beau, whereupon naturally you would say, "Oh, Mrs. Blank, I want you to know John Doe, this nice young man from Idaho who brought me today—," meanwhile turning toward John to get his attention. But it would be bad form, in my opinion, to adopt the proprietary attitude of assuming responsibility for introducing him to each member of the receiving line, if both of you were working your way along a line of comparative strangers.

Not Customary to Say Goodby to All Guests

There are, of course, many receptions in private homes where guests are greeted at the door on arrival by the host, or an old friend of the family, or a son or daughter, and informally directed to the receiving line, casually clustered inside the living room door. In that event, an unfamiliar guest would immediately approach the hostess and give her name, unless the hostess instantaneously greets her by name. And the hostess might promptly present her to the honor guest and perhaps engage her in a three-way conversation with the latter, before delivering her to other members of the receiving line. At large, medium or small receptions in clubrooms or hotel parlors, there may be a paid attendant to announce guests to the hostess. Or there may not. If there isn't, you go directly to the person first in line and announce yourself, as previously outlined, and proceed from there in the manner suggested.

As for how to take leave of a fellow guest whose social position is higher than one's own,—I think one's intuition and sense of the fitness of things, in the particular circumstances, is the best guide to follow. Perhaps I should explain, however, that in precedence-conscious Washington, where much entertaining is done for persons of official, diplomatic or social "rank," it would be considered a breach of etiquette for a run-of-mine guest to depart from a luncheon or dinner company (without urgent reason,) before the higher-ranking guests had made their exit. While this rule does not apply to receptions, the result nevertheless has been that persons of "position" usually make an early departure from such parties, and thus take the initiative in saying goodby to others. But at a reception it is neither obligatory nor customary for members of the company to say goodby to each guest in turn before leaving. The "ranking" guests exchange farewells with those who are nearest them as they prepare to depart; and with whomever they encounter en route to the exit, perhaps. And guests of lesser prestige do the same. Thus, if plain Jane Jones has been greatly charmed by Mrs. Personage or any other guest at a reception, she may with propriety,—if opportunity presents itself to bid those persons goodby,—say, "I am glad to have met you," etc.

Here's Etiquette Book That Is Gem of Humor

About a good book on etiquette, other than Mrs. Post's,—I think Margaret Fishback's volume, entitled "Safe Conduct," which appeared on the market a few years ago, is the sanest dissertation on social know-how that has been written in this century. With remarkable wit and hilarious irreverence for stuffed shirts and "grand manners," she tells the reader how thoroughbred people deport themselves today. As pure diversion, it is well worth reading; since, in my opinion, it is a classic of sophisticated humor; much funnier than Anita Loos' "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," which was a literary sensation 10 years ago.

M. H.

These Women! By d'Alessio

"This precision work isn't hard after you discover that 1/32 of an inch is just the width of a hairpin!"

If You're Living in One Room—

By Martha Ellyn

Washington houses have been straining at the seams for many months. Duration guests continue to arrive; continue to look for quarters; continue to miss the little things that make a home.

Boarding house managers have done their best to make the living quarters comfortable for the newcomers. But still they can't be expected to furnish the decorative notes that their paying guests have left behind in their own homes.

Atmosphere does have a marked effect upon the spirits and state of mind. And it takes more than beds, chests and chairs to make a room a place that you like to go home to. It's the little things that count. The intangibles that spell the difference between a room and a home.

A room can seem like a tiny, crowded, hampering area into which you must squeeze yourself, or it can seem gracious and livable though not spacious. I know one newcomer to Washington who chose the small hall bedroom type of room that she could make cozy, in preference to a large "barny" one which she felt could not be made attractive with her limited income.

Entrants in the Navy Personnel Interior Decoration Contest, whose slogan is "Make Your Room a Home," may find some hints here that will win them a prize in war bonds (contest closes February 28)—but the ideas may well be applied to any room that needs rejuvenation.

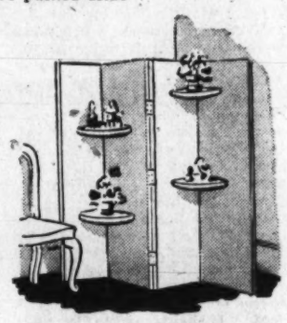
If your landlady has not given any particular thought to the arrangement of couch-type beds or the coverings, that's a matter that can be easily overcome. Inexpensive materials can be used for making the covers. In the drawing on this page we have shown how the beds can be placed at right angles to conserve space as well as make for a more pleasant appearance. Gingham in a favorite color can be used to make the spreads as well as the dressing tables stools.

Since this is a room for two, we have figured on twin furnishings. Before the window you will see twin dressing tables. The tables have been concocted from orange crates. Since they are placed directly in front of the window so that good light can be obtained, the mirrors had to be the stand-up kind. This is but a basic idea and can be interpreted in many ways if you let the decorator in you get busy.

Use the gingham formula for your bedroom transformation. Any team of girls can easily, and at little cost, achieve the general effect of the room shown here. It's certain that any room has the essentials—a bed or beds, and a window. Those are the points from which the decorations start. Place twin dressing tables made from orange crates before a window and it will save space and also give daylight for grooming when the glass curtains are pushed aside

Should the dresser or chest of drawers in your room not be too sightly, why not ask the landlady if you can't give it a coat of paint and apply some cretonne or wallpaper as shown in the picture on this page?

If you have a white elephant or so in your room that you would like to hide, why not buy an unpainted screen and then go to work on it. It can be covered with wallpaper, cretonne, oilcloth and a number of other materials. Instead of using just a stereotyped kind of screen, fasten quarter round shelves with angle irons in the angles of a four panel screen. Then decorate with small plants in attractive holders and any of the other ornaments that you have or that you can buy to make an attractive setting. Then you'll forget that a trunk, a wash basin or some other eyesore is within a mile of the room.



If your room harbors such white elephants as a trunk, a few hat boxes and other eyesores, hide them behind a four-panel screen which has been made different with small brackets for holding plants or ornaments

Don't despair if your room harbors a spiritless dresser. Perhaps a paint job may be necessary. Cretonne, oilcloth or wall paper with a thin lacquer job will change the scene. A mirror, lamp and swag over draperies can be made from the same material

Your Baby and Mine

You Gain Nothing by Nagging Your Child to Eat

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

Mothers are weak-kneed, naturally, about disciplining a child by depriving him of food. They feel if a child will eat, however mammoth the parents' efforts to cause him to eat, they have been successful, no matter what the ultimate results.

So, despite every effort to persuade them, mothers continue to argue, scold, wheedle, nag and entertain their children who are reluctant to eat instead of following the one and only effective method, allowing the child to refuse to eat, if that is what he obviously wants to do.

Here is a fine girl whose diet is excellent except at times when she has "spells" of spitting out her food. These spells seem to coincide with the teeth-cutting periods. She hasn't gained well since her eighth month and now at 18 months weighs only about 22 pounds. Despite her weight she is well shaped, healthy and good-natured—in fact, a lovable little girl, except for her "spells."

Mrs. B.—For this is your daughter—I should be respectful of the spells, since at that time your daughter lacks appetite. Forcing her to eat, or making a problem of it, only increases its proportions. You know she isn't sick. You also know she clearly isn't hungry.

If she could go for a day or so drinking plenty of water and orange juice and having nothing to eat except what she would take willingly she would not spit out her food—thus causing you apprehensions as to what discipline to se—nor would her appetitelessness continue for long.

I know, personally, that this does work. Take the child from the table, when she begins to spit, with the explanation that, of course, she isn't hungry or she wouldn't spit out her food.

This is not discipline in the sense of making the child "suffer" for her behavior; it is just sensible consideration for her lack of appetite. Children do have periods when food is distasteful; why make it more so by forcing it on them?

Since your child eats whole foods more willingly than sieved or mashed ones, I'd act on that knowledge and offer her foods she now refuses, in a form which she can take in her hand.

You are over-doing the vitamin pills, etc., in my estimation. She gets a Vitamin D milk which should be taken into account in offering more Vitamin D. The rest of the vitamins could be had more enjoyably in the form of whole grain cereals, breads, fresh fruits, vegetables, butter, and cream.

"Early Discipline," is a leaflet I would be glad to send you for a self-addressed and 3-cent stamped envelope. Any mother may have it by sending your request—with envelope—to Myrtle Meyer Eldred in care of this newspaper.

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The Gentler Sex

Home for the Aged Permanent

By Malvina Lindsay

Announcement of the opening of a rest home at which women with elderly or aged permanents may hide away for a few weeks was announced yesterday by Mrs. Henrietta DeGoofey, noted reformer. "I myself am going to become the first inmate of the home," the president of the Do Something About It League told her weekly press conference. "Hence I shall not be accessible to the public for some time—certainly not until I have a new permanent."

Mrs. DeGoofey

"How will the war effort survive your absence?" asked a cliche editor.

"It will be benefited," was the reply. 'I have reached the point where from worrying about the state of my permanent I am useless to the war effort. There are hundreds of women in the same state. That is why I am establishing this retreat."

Years Added by Ailing Permanent

"It is gratifying to know," observed an editorial pundit, "that even you, Mrs. DeGoofey, cannot rise above personal vanity."

"No woman on earth can rise above a permanent wave that has almost grown out," answered the reformer. "It gives her a constant inferiority complex. Everywhere she goes her friends look at her kindly and ask: "And are you feeling any better?" Or they inquire if she had a very bad attack of the flu, or if she was long in the hospital.

"No matter how much she fusses and struggles with her hair at her mirror, it droops like a hound dog's ears by the time she reaches the street. If she glances at her reflection in a shop window she will start sagging all over. If she boards a streetcar some woman old enough to be her mother is likely to offer her a seat.

"The aging permanent has a subtly deteriorating effect upon a woman," continued Mrs. DeGoofey. "The more she looks at herself, the more discouraged she becomes. She decides 'Oh well I can't look like anything anyway with this hair!' and then lets herself slip. What does it matter, she thinks, if her stocking seams aren't straight, or if her lipstick is smeared or her manicure is growing out? It's no use to do anything, she concludes, until she gets a new permanent.

Looks Her Worst, Everything Happens

"And then what happens? Why everything! Her old beau whom she hasn't seen for years comes to town and invites her downtown for lunch; her husband's big boss blows in from New York and is brought out to the house to dine—and likely to sleep; the girl to whom her husband once was engaged arrives from California and is feted at a luncheon to which she must go or everyone will wonder why: the most important dowager in town gives a party and for the first time invites her; all the officers of her club who outrank her get the flu and as third vice president she must preside at the big post-war planning forum and introduce the noted speakers. All women know the worry and torture that attend such experiences. So why should they undergo them?"

"But, Mrs. DeGoofey," expostulated a spokesman for a city editor, "don't you think women would miss a lot in not being able to apologize constantly for the awful state of their hair?"

Kindred Sufferers To Talk It Out

"What is to stop them from still talking about it?" countered the reformer. "In fact, that is one of the purposes of the rest home—to bring women together with a single thought. And in this way their families, neighbors and friends won't have to listen to them."

"How to do expect to spend your time in the rest home?" inquired a hobby editor.

"Just being myself," was the reply. "It will be the first chance I've had in years."

"But won't you miss the men?" asked a "little girl" reporter.

"No, because I will be constantly thinking and planning about how devastating I will appear when I have my new permanent, and what a factor I will be in improving the morale of our brave boys."

It's About Time

By Dolores Boland

IT'S ABOUT TIME to salvage a blanket which is worn in spots. Use the good parts to make one or two carriage bags for the baby in the family. If you would like to put an idle automobile robe to work, here is one idea for its use

Extend Meat

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TIMELY PERSONALITIES

Wide World Photos

Emily Post's Wartime Rules

Emily Post, for many years the household word for correct comportment, has scrapped for the duration the idea that young ladies should be genteel and take part in only ultra-refined activities. "Young ladies must join the war effort," says Emily Post. "Good manners and etiquette must be changed to conform with the present situation." In line with that idea, Miss Post, above, is showing Miss Ruth Von Scheer how to repair the outlet plug of an electric mixer.

Since slacks are a defense worker's prerequisite, Emily Post, left, says they are proper wartime dress for young ladies.

Above, Emily Post says that due to transportation shortage, young ladies working in defense plants may thumb a ride but that the thumber should display her defense identification badge and should "tag" only a car with a "B" or "C" ration sticker. The rides should be "tagged" only at regular bus or trolley stops on main traffic arteries. Workers should stick to impersonal subjects and not talk about personal affairs or defense jobs. Miss Post, below, watches a war worker thumb a ride from a lady with a "B" gas ration sticker.

"If you must ride in a cab," says Emily Post (right), "share it." "But," she continues, "don't use the car-sharing campaign as a means for casual pick-ups."

Below, Emily Post says that the boys at the front certainly want to read good books, so here she is turning over to Miss Theresa O'Connell of the Office of Civilian Defense as many books as she can spare to go to the armed forces.

"I carry my own parcels home," says Emily Post (in picture at bottom) as the grocer hands her a package. "A bulky parcel is a woman's badge of good wartime service."

Post Profile — Mrs. Luther B. Bewley

Having zigzagged across the Pacific after a hair-raising escape from the Philippines to Australia, Mrs. Luther B. Bewley is here with a great and poignant story of Corregidor—a first-hand story of what went on, of the great sacrifices of our men, of the loyalty and courage of the Filipinos and of the grim fight to the bitter end. Mrs. Bewley and her 19-year-old daughter, Virginia, were among the very last to leave Corregidor in those fateful days of April, 1942.

Having lived in Manila for more than 20 years, where her husband was a member of President Quezon's staff in charge of educational affairs. Mrs. Bewley's home was international in character; she knew and entertained people from all parts of the globe.

The famous night of December 8 found Mrs. Bewley and all of Manila unsuspecting and asleep. But not for long. Pearl Harbor was the starting signal, and waves of Japanese bombers were over Manila relentlessly attacking. For three solid weeks they bombed the city with no let-up. Finally, on December 28, when the military was withdrawn to Bataan; when the government was taken to safety and when the Japanese were outside of the city, Mrs. Bewley and her daughter were sent by her husband to Corregidor. "I shall never forget it," she reminisced. "We left at 4 in the morning in a blackout, in a small torpedo boat, with Japanese bombers roaring overhead. I should never in the world have been persuaded to leave my husband had it not been for my young daughter, for whom I was naturally fearful."

Lived in Tunnel On Corregidor

Arriving on Corregidor, they were herded into the hospital tunnel, where they expected to remain only until help came to relieve Manila. Needless to say, they remained there for four months. Days began to pass, and they felt that help was on the way. But on January 1 the American Flag was taken down and the Japs were in possession of Manila. Finally President Quezon, anxious to be with his people, left Corregidor for the southern islands, where he could help and inspire them in their great fight. High Commissioner Sayre left to report to the President. The people on Corregidor waited.

"At first, life was amazingly cheerful," Mrs. Bewley replied when asked about the morale of the people in general. "The morale of everyone, inspired by their great leaders, MacArthur and Wainwright, was magnificent. During the worst of the bombing raids those men never once entered the tunnel. They never slept, but spent night after night outside, refusing to take shelter." Mrs. Bewley also told how each night they listened hopefully to their radios to Station KGEI in San Francisco, and to Manila station now in Japanese hands. When on March 11 General MacArthur was transferred to Australia, they felt that help would come; their hopes were invigorated for a dramatic rescue. Of course, the stories of the losses at Pearl Harbor had not been made known to the people on Corregidor. More days went by. No one wanted to be taken by assault. "For in the annals of war, any city taken in that manner is turned to the rabble for a time with free license to the conqueror," explained Mrs. Brewley. "Naturally we thought of Hongkong."

"The darkest days came when our food and munitions were getting low, and our few piteous little guns proved useless against the steady and accurate bombing of the Japanese," Mrs. Bewley said sadly. "They were able to bomb just exactly what they chose until everything on the top of Corregidor was leveled."

Mrs. Bewley described vividly the fall of Bataan with the arrival of those from there who were able to reach Corregidor. The three tunnels were choked with people; food, which consisted of old horse and mule meat and watery soup, was unedible; people were starving and there was a shortage of nurses. Most of the nurses had been taken earlier to Bataan to care for the 6000 beds there. Virginia Bewley, who aside from President Quezon's two lovely daughters was the only teen-aged girl on Corregidor, worked night and day with the remaining eight nurses, feeding and administering to the sick and dying.

Meanwhile, amid this misery and privation, the bombing was steadily increasing. All of the surrounding forts of Cavite, Mariveles and Bataan, now in Japanese hands, were turned on Corregidor, and shelled it steadily and with ever-increasing intensity. Word spread that April 29 was the Japanese Emperor's birthday and that Hirohito had been promised Corregidor as his supreme birthday gift. Finally one evening, Mrs. Bewley received a message from General Wainwright. "Get ready at once," it said, "there is a way of getting out. Three planes have come to carry away nurses and a few others." While the risk was great, it was a chance to escape.

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MRS. LUTHER B. BEWLEY

It was indeed a difficult choice for Mrs. Bewley to make, alone and without her husband to help her—whether to remain on Corregidor and run the risk of being taken by assault, or to do an equally hazardous thing, and attempt to escape with her daughter. She determined on action, and at 11 o'clock that night the Bewleys and a few others stealthily left Corregidor in a little open boat whose tiny engine had been muffled to prevent attracting any attention. General Wainwright, worried to the last over the safety of the departing women, put them into the boat, saying, "When I go to meet the Japanese general, I shall not come back to Corregidor. I am glad that all of you decided to risk this." He faded into the darkness, and the boat pushed off.

The little party were taken posthaste to nearby Fort Drum and rushed into a plane, which took off practically before they had time to sit down. "Of course there was not a moment to lose," said Mrs. Bewley who, one could see, was reliving her dramatic story as she told it. Arriving at beautiful Lake Lanao on the Island of Mindanao at dawn, the party left their plane camouflaged in a little cove, and were taken in a Moro "vinta" to a village at the foot of the lake, where they remained until time to take off that night.

When that time came the plane taxied down the lake for four miles, and was still unable to get off the water. The passengers were instructed to get rid of their few pieces of baggage, and with considerable difficulty the plane finally rose into the air. Later, when the plane landed, it was discovered that two stowaways had hidden in the tail, thus almost bringing grief to the entire group.

On Only Plane To Arrive Safely

Arriving at Port Darwin on May 1, they were amazed to find the town completely leveled and abandoned by its civilian population. They had arrived just one day after its terrific first bombing by 24 Jap planes. "We were weak with joy and thankfulness at arriving safely," Mrs. Bewley said. "We subsequently discovered that ours was the only one of the three planes to get through. The others simply disappeared into space."

Mrs. Bewley is high in her praise of the plane's crew and her fellow passengers. "Actually despite the great strain that we were all under during those days, everyone remained good-natured, and there were many little gestures of kindness and consideration," she said. "We seemed to have added strength, to carry us all through."

With her husband left behind in Manila, and with her daughter now married and living in Perth, Australia, Mrs. Bewley is far from "home." She is counting the days until the war is over, and she can go back to the Philippines. Meanwhile, though her face shows definite signs of mental anguish and suffering, she is ever hopeful. Hers is a story of great courage. Her selflessness and pluckiness should serve as an example to all of us who moan over our everyday household inconveniences and petty discomforts. Here is a woman who has seen the worst of war, who has faced every possible danger, and who despite all of this has remained cheerful and determined.

Jane McBaine

WAAC THIRD OFFICER GRACE WALSH

Metallurgical Worker Now Member of WAACS

Fort Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 1.—WAAC Third Officer Grace Walsh, a former employe of General Electric Research Laboratories at Schenectady, N. Y., has been assigned to a post in Washington with the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

Polishing metallurgical specimens first took her into the workaday world in Schenectady. Later, she worked into thermo-analysis and finally into the study of "creep," or the elongation of metals.

Television and radio occupied her spare time and she spent many hours at Stations WGY and WPBG in Schenectady.

It was through her volunteer work with the Office of Civilian Defense in Schenectady that she first became interested in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. She says she was so impressed by the ability of volunteer women to work together efficiently that she envisioned the success of the WAAC. When the call went out for more of America's women to join the corps, she enrolled.

A member of the Seventh Officer Candidate Class at First WAAC Training Center at Fort Des Moines, she was commissioned Third Officer in November.

Third Officer Walsh is the daughter of Mrs. Grace Walsh of Schenectady. She is a graduate of Scotia (N. Y.) High School and studied metallurgy at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, N. Y., and at Union College at Schenectady. She also studied at Troy Conservatory of Music, Schenectady Conservatory and the Estelle Liebling New York Studios.

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Admiral Patrick Bellinger

'Fighting Irishman' Is Deputy Chief Of Staff of Fleet

This is another in a series of stories about the men who are running the war. The next will appear on Thursday.

By Patricia Grady

Whoever coined the phrase "Fighting Irishman" must have been thinking of Rear Admiral Patrick Nelson Lynch Bellinger.

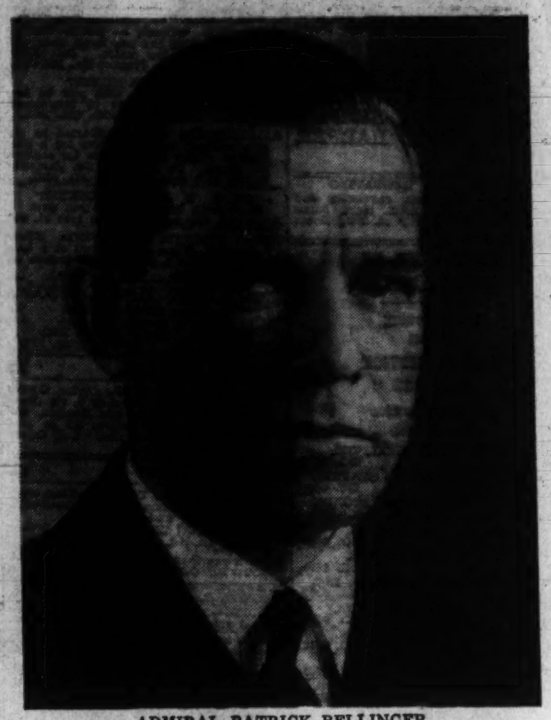
This picturesque flying officer, with the Celtic lilt to his blue eyes, holds the responsible job of deputy chief of staff of the commander in chief of the United States Fleet. He looks like the youngest admiral in the Navy but the record shows him to be 57. During the years he carries so well, Admiral Bellinger has grown up with aviation, has helped to make it what it is today.

Chief headache of this energetic officer is the submarine menace. That is his particular problem and as difficult a one as faces our forces. "Submarines are an illusive enemy," explains the admiral. "We have to find them before we can sink them, and the ocean's a big place."

Although he is an optimist by nature, "Pat" Bellinger has no predictions to make about our clearing the sea of these underwater enemies. "It's a 24-hour-a-day job," he says with the air of a man who has found that out. "We're using every means available to wipe them out. We're doing our best and we're hoping that our best will soon be better."

Admiral Bellinger came to his present job from his duties as commander, Patrol Wing 2, in the Pacific. He has no complaint to make about what he saw there. "I'm pleased with our planes and even more pleased with the men that keep 'em flying," he comments. "Our training of pilots and crews has been very good and we are constantly trying to improve it."

Never one to evade a question, Admiral Bellinger's conversation is sprinkled with quotable statements: "No enemy can be discounted—except a dead one. . . . There can be nothing static about this war. . . . You can't stop a determined bombing raid, nor can you stop a determined submarine drive."



ADMIRAL PATRICK BELLINGER

After listening to Admiral Bellinger's softly slurred speech, you can have little doubt that the gentleman is from South Carolina. Ruddy complectioned, he has lost most of his Pacific tan and tufts of gray are beginning to show in his black hair. In the protocolish Navy, almost everyone who knows him calls him "Pat." He's that sort of a person.

Layers of maps cover the wall of his office—as soon as a new one is out the obsolete one is covered up. He wears horn rimmed glasses for reading, but still can't achieve a bureaucratic look. He's at home at the controls of a plane and still does a lot of flying. A great believer in the telephone, he grows impatient of too much paper work.

This rollicking Irishman is proud of his pretty wife and four children. His three daughters are in school here and his 21-year-old son has recently enlisted for naval aviation training. Admiral Bellinger is pleased that his son made his decision himself, came home to tell his family what he had done.

When he graduated from Annapolis in 1907, Patrick Ballinger asked for air training. He was forthwith put on submarine duty. But infant aviation held a fascination for him and after three applications he was allowed to take pilot training. The day before he started his training he saw his first plane crash. In the years to come he was to figure in several of them himself. After one crackup he was told he had a broken neck, but that proved to be an exaggerated diagnosis.

Admiral Bellinger remembers well those early flying days, when a pilot flew his plane by main strength and sheer force of will, with a compass held between his knees. Often he was quite vague as to just where he was. He worked with Sperry to develop the automatic pilot, now a standard part of every plane's equipment. He also served a stint as a Navy test pilot.

He Made History In Pioneer Days Of Naval Aviation

Admiral Bellinger's first great adventure came in 1914, when he was in command of the Aviation Section at Vera Cruz. This was the first time that Navy planes were used under fire. Their mission was reconnaissance, and flights were made on 43 consecutive days.

Whenever naval aviation history was made, Pat Bellinger was in on it. In 1919 he took part in the first transatlantic flight. Three planes left Rockaway but only one arrived at its destination in Plymouth, England. The present Vice Admiral John Towers and Rear Admiral Albert C. Reed piloted the other two planes. Both Bellinger and Towers' NC-type planes were forced down in the Atlantic. Admiral Bellinger crash-landed near the Azores and was buffeted by waves for six hours before being rescued by a Greek steamer. Says the admiral of this experience, "I felt chagrined."

During the war he had an air command at Hampton Roads and afterward served with the air squadrons of the Pacific Fleet. He completed the Naval War College course in 1925 and was assigned as Aide to the Commander of the Battle Fleet. In 1928 he went to Rome where he served as Assistant Naval Attache for three years. On his return he saw sea duty, first as commanding officer of the U. S. S. Wright and then of the U. S. S. Langley.

Came duty in Washington in 1933 where he helped the Bureau of Aeronautics to lay its plans for the future. Then came more sea duty in the U. S. S. Ranger and a tour as Chief of Staff of the Commander, Aircraft Battle Force. In 1938 he was made commanding officer of the Naval Air Station at Norfolk and in 1940 reported for air duty in the Pacific.

IN CAPITAL SPOTLIGHT

Former Mayor From Chile To Visit Here

Senora de Schnake, wife of the new Chilean Ambassador to Mexico, is one of Chile's leading feminists, was one of the founders of the committee of Socialist Women in Chile and has the distinction of being the only woman ever to rule one of the world's capital cities as Mayor.

Arriving in New York last week with her two children, Jorg and Sonya, Senora de Schnake was met by Senor Schnake, who has been visiting in Washington for several weeks. The family is expected here today or tomorrow and within the fortnight will leave for Mexico City.

Auburn haired with keen green eyes, Senora de Schnake has been a prominent political figure in her own country for several years. The Socialist Women Committee was organized in 1938 and soon after its membership numbered 5000.

Appointed Mayor of Santiago by the late President Aguirre Cerda in 1939, Senora de Schnake immediately met with hostility from the masculine council members who showed their disapproval by staying away from meetings. However, Chilean law allows the mayor to proceed with business, so in 40 days the Mayoress had established a system of "free fare"—without the men.

"Free fare," Senora de Schnake explains, is a marketing practice that eliminates the middle man. Through it the farmer was able to bring his produce to the city and sell it at auction in open market places.

Although she had to resign two times, Senora de Schnake's term as Mayor brought added confidence to Chilean women, if it did not directly improve their condition. And eventually the councilmen, even those appointed by the opposition, soon came over to her side. By working closely with labor organizations they managed to avert any strikes during her regime—without doubt her proudest accomplishment.

Purely Personal

Mr. and Mrs. E. Milton Dulin of Baltimore are the house guests of Mr. Dulin's sister, Mrs. James C. Haynes, jr., in her home in Chevy Chase. Mrs. Haynes will entertain for Mrs. Dulin at a luncheon today and at a dinner tomorrow evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore have closed their home in Somerset and are spending the winter at Del Ray Beach, Fla. They are at the Presidential Apartments.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Davies will arrive today from their home in Newtown Square, Pa., for a few days' stay at the Mayflower.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Crain are spending several days in New York at the Biltmore.

Mrs. George Warren Offutt 3d, of South Arlington, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Plitt of Baltimore.

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Lieut. and Mrs. David W. Clugston, and their small daughter, Judy, have left for Boston where Lieutenant Clugston will be stationed with the Engineer Corps.

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Miss Camilla Kimball of Glendale, Calif., is the house guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Col. and Mrs. Don Lyon, in their home in Arlington.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stephens are vacationing in St. Petersburg, Fla.

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Mrs. Sidney Reizenstein is spending a few days in New York.

Marjorie Wilson Elliott Is Bride of Jerre Ness

At the Transfiguration Episcopal Church at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Miss Marjorie Wilson Elliott, daughter of Mrs. Amelia Elliott, was married to Jerre Nilsson Ness, son of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Ness. The Rev. John J. Queally officiated before an altar banked with palms and candelabra.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Edward DelTufo, wore a white gown with lace bodice, sweetheart neckline, long sleeves ending in points, and full skirt of net and lace. Her veil was fingertip length and her bouquet was of gardenias, centered with an orchid.

Mrs. Norma H. Jackson, matron of honor, wore a lavender gown with velvet bodice and full net skirt. She carried an arm bouquet of Johanna Hill roses. Other attendants were Miss Geroline Clements, gowned in pink taffeta and net, Mrs. Parolee Crews, gowned in blue taffeta and net and Miss Margaret Helm, gowned in old rose taffeta and net. They carried bouquets of pink roses.

Robert Robinett acted as best man and Jack Galer, Richard Specht and Charles Deck were ushers.

A reception followed at the home of the bride. After a week's wedding trip to New York, they will make their home at 1411 Buchanan Street Northwest.

Luxembourg Envoy En Route To Louisiana

The Minister of Luxembourg has left for New Orleans, where he will complete arrangements for the visit of Her Royal Highness the Grand Duchess Charlotte of Luxembourg.

She has been invited by Gov. Sam Houston Jones of Louisiana to visit that State and will spend three days in New Orleans seeing some of Louisiana's contributions to the war effort.

Citizens of New Orleans will honor the Grand Duchess at a dinner at which Pierre Dupong, Prime Minister of Luxembourg, will be the principal speaker.

Miss Glaves Is Bride of Army Officer

The National Baptist Memorial Church was the scene last evening of the wedding of Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Glaves and Capt. J. Dale Patterson, U. S. A. The Rev. A. Lincoln Smith officiated before an altar banked with palms, ferns, and candelabra.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer H. Glaves, was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white starched chiffon with low bodice, lace sleeves, full skirt and train. Her bouquet was of white orchids and white roses.

Miss Doris M. Park, maid of honor, wore a gown of green starched chiffon with three-quarter length sleeves and a square neckline. Her bouquet was of talisman roses.

The bridesmaids, Miss Geraldine Hackett, Mrs. Theresa S. Leitch, and Mrs. Mervale Russel, wore gowns of mousseline de soie in pastel shades and carried bouquets of pink roses.

Maj. W. Jameson McWilliams, U. S. A., served as best man. Ushers were Capt. Robert O. Hammerlund, Capt. Chauncey H. Albright, Capt. Ernest D. Lundell, Capt. Kenneth Scott and Lieut. John B. Power.

Following a reception at the home of the bride, the couple left for Fort Leavenworth Kans., where Captain Patterson will attend the Staff Command School.

The bride was graduated from Virginia Intermont College in Bristol.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Patterson of Indianhead, Md., was graduated from the University of Maryland. Before entering active service he was connected with the Bethlehem Steel Co. in Baltimore.

Miss Kreger a Bride

The marriage of Miss Selma Kreger of Portsmouth, Va., and William Kushner of New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kushner, took place Sunday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Kreger, in Portsmouth. The bridegroom is with the Army Air Transport Command.

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16 Nominees Of 30 Indorsed For WMC Posts

Sixteen of 30 nominees for high War Manpower Commission jobs failed yesterday for the third time to obtain indorsement of the Senate Military Affairs Committee. The remaining 14 received committee approval, and their names go to the Senate, where confirmation is regarded as certain.

Action on the 16 was deferred, it was said, to give members concerned additional time to study their qualifications. The nominations were sent to the Capitol January 11, in line with a requirement sponsored by Senator McKellar (Democrat) of Tennessee that persons appointed to War Manpower jobs paying more than $4500 must be confirmed by the Senate.

Committee approval for all, or nearly all, of the 16 additional appointees is expected within a few days, according to members of the committee.

A reason for the delay, it was indicated, is the fact that in several instances the record of a single appointee is being submitted to several Senators for their informal approval. Normally, an appointee's name is submitted in advance to the two Senators from his State.

Some of the Manpower Commission appointees, however, will be attached to regional offices, and will operate in several States. In these instances, all the Senators from the States in which the manpower official will operate are being given a chance to examine qualifications.

Appointees approved by the Military committee, their home State, the job, and salary, included:

Louis C. M. Abolin of New York, assistant labor utilization analyst, $4600, Washington regional office, which covers the District and nearby States.

George D. Penniman, jr., of Maryland, labor utilization analyst, $6500, Washington regional office.

Edward L. Stevens of Virginia, field supervisor, $5600, in the Washington regional office.

Among those for whom approval was postponed were:

Dr. Paul C. Barton of Illionis, $5600, assistant director for the Procurement and Assignment Service, in WMC headquarters.

Merriam H. Trytten of Pennsylvania, $5600, principal employment specialist in Washington.

Julius Cohen of West Virginia, principal attorney at $5600 in the office of the WMC general counsel.

Fr. Sheehy Gets Orders For Sea Duty

COMMANDER M. S. SHEEHY

Commander Maurice S. Sheehy, Catholic Chaplain at the U. S. Air Station, Jacksonville, Fla., and for 14 years with Catholic University in Washington, has been assigned to sea duty, it was announced yesterday by the Navy.

Father Sheehy went to Jacksonville in February, 1941, from Norfolk.

During the early part of the 1920's he was athletic director and member of the faculty of Loras, then Columbia College at Dubuque, Iowa. He also is a former president of the Eastern Association of College and Student Advisers. He and Bishop James H. Ryan, with whom he was associated here, made a survey of Nazism and propaganda in South America for the State Department.

During the later years he was in Washington Father Sheehy served as the head of the Department of Religious Education at Catholic University.

He received his promotion from lieutenant commander to commander in October.

"I asked for this opportunity to go into the areas of battle," Father Sheehy said, "where I may follow with priestly ministrations the young men who were trained at the Jacksonville Naval Air Station. I feel that it is the duty of every naval officer to share the peril of combat with the men in action."

Flynn Retreat Held Warning Hopkins Must Quit Adviser Role

By Cecil B. Dickson
Washington Bureau of Chicago Sun

President Roosevelt's withdrawal yesterday of his nomination of Edward J. Flynn to be Minister to Australia, in the face of certain defeat in the Senate, fully reflected the effect of the 1942 congressional elections on Administration influence in Congress.

The action came at a time when the Democrats already were widely split and when members are demanding an end to bureaucratic control of the Government.

It portends a sweeping shift in the Democratic organization, begun when Flynn resigned as chairman of the Democratic National Committee, and Postmaster General Frank Walker was named as his successor at a meeting in Chicago in January.

A bigger say in party policies by conservative Southern Democrats undoubtedly will result.

These Democrats have served notice on the White House that Harry Hopkins, as the President's political adviser, must give way to some man who can work with members of Congress and local State organizations to prepare for the 1944 presidential campaign.

A change in the method of handing out patronage and in picking candidates for State and Federal offices has been demanded.

Unless changes are made in the Democratic organization, important leaders say, chances for their candidates to win in 1944 would be slim, provided, of course, the Republicans, who are in bad shape, do not become embroiled in an intra-party fight that would make the election of a Democrat possible.

At that, some of the Democratic leaders claim, the withdrawal of Flynn's name in the face of certain defeat, would, with the situation revolving around James A. Farley, result in the Democratic Party losing a large portion of the Catholic-Irish vote in 1944.

What's Going On And Where

Breakfasts

Breakfast Group, Willard, 7:45 a. m.
Early Birds Breakfast Club, Willard, 8 a. m.

Luncheons

Dartmouth Club, Annapolis, 12:30 p. m.
Alexandria Rotary Club, "The Alaska Alcan Highway," address by Representative William T. Byrne, Laura Lee House, 12:30 p. m.
Civitan Club, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.
Optimist Club, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.
Community War Fund Executive Committee, Willard, 12:30 p. m.
Womens' National Press Club, Willard, p. m.

Meetings

American Iron and Steel Institute, rdman Park, 10 a. m.
National League of American Pen en, Willard, 10:30 a. m.
C. Chapter Catholic Daughters of ica, Willard, 7:30 p. m.
Retailers Association, Willard, m.
Optimist Club, Willard, 7:30 p. m.
Washingtonian Club, Willard.
ess Club, Willard, 8 p. m
nal Association of Power Engineers, 8 p. m.
rocity Club, Mayflower, 8 p. m.
Beta Pi Sorority, Mayflower.
Club, Central High School,
rs Club, Branch 5, S. P. A., Community Center, 8 p. m.
Contractors Association, ding, 8 p. m.
Post of American Legios, house, 8 p. m.
Council, Anacostia High m.
ridge League, Wardman Park,
Botanical Society, Cosmos
Music by the Washing-1701 K Street Northwest
es Marine Band, Marine orium, 12:30 p. m.
Army Band, Fort Myer 2 p. m.
Soldiers' Home Band, :30 p. m.
State Society, dance m.
ton's Orchestra, Stage :45 p. m.
nnual Exhibition of Washington Artists, Corcoran day.

Nylon Hose At 22 Cents in N.Y. Price War

By the Associated Press

New York, Feb. 1.—Women bargain hunters were treasuring their prizes tonight—spun nylon hosiery, ceiling priced at $1.85, which they purchased today for a mere 22 cents a pair, as a result of a price-cutting war on the item between R. H. Macy & Co., Inc., and Bloomingdale Bros., Inc.

Weary salesgirls sighed with relief as the stocks were depleted and the 22-cent signs were removed from the counters which had been besieged throughout the day.

The feud began about 10 days ago when Macy's sold the plain or ribbed spun nylons for $1.49, and Bloomingdale's advertised them at $1.29. Macy's, a Bloomingdale executive said, undercut this price, and Bloomingdale's dropped to the new figure, following the latter's policy, "Bloomingdale's will not be undersold."

So it was that Macy's spun nylons took another drop in price. At 10:30 a. m. Macy's sold them at 48 cents a pair, limit three to a customer. Bloomingdale's price almost immediately went to 24 cents. Macy's countered with the 22-cent price, which Bloomingdale's met. There the price hung.

The Weather

Weather Conditions

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Monday, Feb. 1, 8:30 P. M.

Forecasts

For the District of Columbia—Moderately cold; moderate winds.

For Virginia and Maryland—Moderately cold.

Local Weather Report

Temperatures—Highest, 46; lowest, 33.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1943, 86 degrees.

Excess of temperature since February 1, 1943, 60 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1943, 1.54 inches.

Excess of precipitation since February 1, 1943, 0.13 inch.

Temperatures same date last year—Highest, 42; lowest, 33.

Temperatures.	Highest	Lowest
Washington, D. C.	46	33
Albuquerque	59	33
Atlanta	57	44
Bismarck	21	—22
Brownsville	80	63
Cheyenne	50	22
Chicago	22	7
Columbus	37	25
Des Moines	35	6
Detroit	26	23
Fort Worth	55	41
Kansas City	54	10
Louisville	37	23
Memphis	47	31
Miami	79	58
Minneapolis-St. Paul	7	—15
New Orleans	67	49
New York	43	33
Pittsburgh	30	20
St. Louis	41	20

Top Honors In Scrap Drive Go to Schools

One of the top performances in the Salvage for Victory program is credited to the District of Columbia schools by Horace Walker, executive for the D. C. Salvage Committee, in a report issued yesterday.

The estimated material collected through the cooperation of the schools, is as follows; newspapers, 420 tons; scrap iron, 200 tons; tin, 10 tons; and rubber 8 tons.

Dr. Carrol k. Reid, first assistant superintendent, is chairman of the committee which has worked with the D. C. Salvage Committee.

Different schools have adopted their own methods of collecting scrap, which include group drives headed by faculty members that rely on appointed block lientenants to supervise the actual canvassing.

In one school the student council sponsored the campaign. These drives were stimulated with war-stamp rewards to each student bringing in 40 pounds of newspapers. The first day 1300 pounds were collected.

DIED 1

KEPLINGER, EDGAR LEE. Suddenly, on Monday, February 1, 1943, at Children's Hospital, EDGAR LEE KEPLINGER, the beloved son of Edgar and Agnes Keplinger and brother of Mary L. and Patricia A. Keplinger. Prayers at the Chambers Riverdale funeral home on Wednesday, February 3, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

KRETSCHMAR, GEORGE CARL. On Monday, February 1, 1943 GEORGE CARL KRETSCHMAR of 3406 Belleview ave., Cheverly, Md., husband of Eleanor A. Kretschmar. Services at Chambers' Riverdale funeral home on Wednesday, February 3, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

HAMATY, C. A. On Saturday, January 30, 1943, at Fort Worth, Tex., C. A. HAMATY, beloved father of Mrs. Louise Walden and Miss Elizabeth Hamaty of 315 3d st. ne. Friends may call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., until Wednesday, February 3, at 1:30 p. m.; thence to St. George's Syrian Orthodox Church, 1009 8th st. nw., where services will be held at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

MANCHESTER, EMILY G. On Sunday, January 31, 1943, at St. Elizabeths Hospital, EMILY G. MANCHESTER. She is survived by her granddaughter, Ellen Louise Manchester of Washington and Mrs. Edwin A. Sloason of Ann Arbor, Mich. Remains resting at Hysong's funeral home, 1300 N st. nw., where services will be held on Wednesday, February 3, at 3 p. m. Friends are invited to attend. Interment private.

MANGUM, JAMES W. On Saturday, January 30, 1943, JAMES W. MANGUM, beloved husband of Hazel P. Mangum, broher of Elmer Mangum. Funeral from Chambers funeral home, 517 11th at se., on Tuesday, February 2, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

O'DONOGHUE, BENJAMIN. On Monday, February 1, 1943, BENJAMIN O'DONOGHUE of 66 S st. nw., beloved husband of the late Annie L. O'Donoghue. Funeral from the T. P. Costello funeral home, 1722 N. Capitol st., on Thursday, February 4, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Martin's Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Holy Name men of St. Martin's Church will meet at the above funeral home on Wednesday, February 3, at 8:30 p. m.

SHEARER, LEWIS N. Suddenly, on Monday, February 1, 1943, at his home, 3044 Dent pl. nw. LEWIS N. SHEARER, beloved husband of Mollie Brewton Shearer and father of Walter L. and Howard E. Shearer. Remains resting at the Birch funeral home 3034 M st. nw., where services will be held on Wednesday, February 3, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery

READ, MARGARET BELLE. On Monday, February 1, 1943, MARGARET BELLE READ, widow of William T. Read, mother of Mrs. Mary Read Patrick, Mrs. Gladys Patrick, Whitney B., William T., jr., Ebe H. Read. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Wednesday, February 3, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

ROGERS, R. FLOYD. On Monday, February 1, 1943, at his residence, 4113 30th st., Mount Rainier, Md., R. FLOYD Rogers, beloved husband of Dessie D. Rogers and father of Mrs. Helen G. Moyer of Indianhead, Md., and Mrs. Lillian Hall of Washington, and brother of the Wm. J. Nalley funeral home, 3200 R. I. ave., Mount Rainier, Md. Notice of funeral later.

SIMPSON, MARY E. On Sunday, January 31, 1943, at her residence, 124 Longfellow st. nw., MARY E. SIMPSON, wife of the late Harry C. Simpson and mother of Mrs. Blanche Rasely and Roland C. Simpson. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Tuesday, February 2, at 1 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

SMALLWOOD, WILLIAM R. On Saturday, January 30, 1943, WILLIAM R. SMALLWOOD, of Duley, Md., beloved brother of Harry I. Smallwood, Mrs. H. I. Williams and Alma B. Tayman. Funeral from Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, February 2, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

SPARO, MARY S. On Sunday, January 31 1943, at her residence, 1630 Eckington pl. ne., MARY S. SPARO, widow of James W. Sparo and mother of Mrs. Harvey Crown and Willis M. Sparo. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Tuesday, February 2, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

THOMPSON, HARRY. On Sunday, January 31, 1943, at Sibley Hospital, HARRY THOMPSON, beloved husband of Cora Shaw Thompson, father of Mrs. Myra Courtney and Mrs. Thelma Dorset, and brother of Mrs. Frances Darnall. Remains resting at H. M. Padgett's funeral home, 131 11th st. se., where funeral services will be held on Wednesday, February 3, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

THOMPSON, MABEL BERRY. Entered eternal life on Sunday, January 31, 1943, at her home, 3415 Woodley pl. nw., MABEL BERRY THOMPSON, beloved wife of Dr. A Contee Thompson and beloved mother of Mrs. George Seely, of Asheville, N. C. Funeral services at Mount St. Alban's Church on Tuesday, February 2, at 10 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

VEACH, ESTHER BLANCHE. Suddenly, on Monday, February 1, 1943, at her home, 1240 Holbrook Terrace ne., ESTHER BLANCHE VEACH, beloved wife of Paul R. Veach. Funeral services at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey on Wednesday, February 3, at 3 p. m. Interment Hyattstown, Md.

VICK, GUY B. On Sunday, January 31, 1943, at Mount Alto Hospital, GUY B. VICK, beloved husband of Mary McKenna Vick. Services at Chambers' Georgetown funeral home, 31st and M sts. nw., on Tuesday, February 2, at 8 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery on Wednesday, February 3, at 11 a. m.

VICK, GUY B. Members of Capital Transit Post, No. 46, are hereby advised of the untimely death of Comrade GUY B. VICK on Saturday, January 30, 1943, at Mount Alto Hospital. American Legion services at Chambers funeral home, 31st and M sts., Georgetown. Interment Arlington National Cemetery, Wednesday a. m.
GEORGE E. WARDER, Commander.
FREDERICK F. FLETCHER, Adjutant.

WALTER, GENEVIEVE RACHEL. On Saturday, January 30, 1943, at her residence, 1528 Fort Davis st. se., GENEVIEVE RACHEL WALTER, beloved wife of Adam L. Walter and mother of George L., Eleanor R. and John L. Walter. Services will be held at Zirkle funeral home, 510 C st. ne., on Tuesday, February 2, at 3 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

—Deaths—

Announcements of Services by Chambers

Deceased	Undertaker
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Batt, John, Wm. Smallwood, William R.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Sparo, Mary S.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Weisenberger, Arthur Henry	W. W. Chambers Co.
Vick, Guy B.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Dollison, Margaret	W. W. Chambers Co.
Kretschmar, George C.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Kiplinger, Edgar Lee	W. W. Chambers Co.
Read, Margaret Belle	W. W. Chambers Co.

JEFFERIS, WILLARD C. On Sunday, January 31, 1943, at his home, 503 West Thornapple st., Chevy Chase, Md., WILLARD C. JEFFERIS, beloved husband of Annie S. Jefferis. Funeral services at his late residence on Wednesday, February 3, at 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

JEFFERIS, WILLARD C.—Washington Lodge, No. 15, B. P. O. Elks, will convene in Session of Sorrow at 7:15 p. m., Tuesday, February 2, for the purpose of paying tribute to the memory of our late brother, WILLARD C. JEFFERIS, enrolled October 14, 1936, died January 31. Elk services at late residence, 503 West Thornapple st., Chevy Chase, Md., at 8 p. m. By order of AMBROSE A. DURKIN, Exalted Ruler.
Attest: W. S. SHELBY, Secretary.

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LEGAL NOTICES 4

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. In re application of Ruby Caroline Miller for change of name. Civil Action No. 18438. Ruby Caroline Miller, having filed a complaint for a judgment changing her name to Robin Caroline Miller, and having applied to the court for an order of publication of the notice required by law in such cases, it is, by the court, this 25th day of January, 1943, ordered that all persons concerned show cause, if any there be, on or before the 15TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1943, why the prayers of said complaint should not be granted: Provided, that a copy of this order be published once a week for three consecutive weeks before said day in The Washington Post and the Washington Law Reporter. O. R. LUHRING, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By C. B. COFLON, Deputy Clerk. 26,2,9

DAVID KRONMAN,
127 35th St. S.E.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. In re application of David Kronman and Diana Linder Kronman for change of name. Civil Action No. 18401. David Kronman and Diana Linder Kronman, having filed a complaint for a judgment changing their names to David Cronin and Diana Linder Cronin, and having applied to the Court for an order of publication of the notice required by law in such cases, it is, by the Court, this 22d day of January, 1943, ordered that all persons concerned show cause, if any there be, on or before the 23d day of February, 1943, why the prayers of said complaint should not be granted: provided, that a copy of this order be published once a week for three consecutive weeks before said day in The Washington Post and the Washington Law Reporter. JAMES M. PROCTOR, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By ELEANOR E. JOBE, Deputy Clerk. 26,2,9

LEO P. HARLOW, Attorney

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. Holding Probate Court. In re estate of Albert B. Hyatt, deceased. Administration No. 60225. Order fixing new date for trial and providing for publication. The notification as to the trial of the issues in this case relating to the validity of the paper-writing dated the 15th day of April, 1936, purporting to be the last will and testament of Albert B. Hyatt, deceased, having been returned as to Hyatt Register, Frances Register Weed, Eleanor Register, Charlotte Register, Mildred Register Bookman and Edmond Register 2d, "not to be found," it is, by the court, this 6th day of January, 1943, ordered that said issues be set down for trial on the 17TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1943, and that this order and the substance of said issues be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and twice a week for the same period in The Washington Post, the substance of said issues being as follows: One. Was the paper-writing filed in this court and bearing date of the 15th day of April, 1936, the last will and testament of Albert Hyatt, deceased? Two. Was the said paper-writing dated the 15th day of April, 1936, purporting to be the last will and testament of Albert Hyatt, deceased, executed and attested in due form, as required by law? Three. Was the said Albert Hyatt at the time of the making and subscribing or of the acknowledging by him of the said paper-writing of sound and disposing mind and capable of executing a valid deed or contract? Four. Was the said paper-writing dated the 15th day of April, 1936, obtained or the execution thereof procured from the said Albert Hyatt, deceased, by undue influence or fraud, or coercion? JESSE C. ADKINS, Justice. A true copy. Attest: (Seal.) VICTOR S. MERSCH, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.
18,19,25,26,1,2,8,9

BIDS & PROPOSALS 6

Federal Works Agency, Public Buildings Administration, Washington, D. C., Jan. 29, 1943.—Sealed bids in duplicate will be publicly opened in this office at 1 p. m., Feb. 12, 1943, for miscellaneous changes at Power House, Washington National Airport, Gravelly Point, Va. Attention is directed to the special conditions of bidding set forth in the specifications and Bulletin No. 51 (revised) of the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, attached hereto. Drawings and specifications may be obtained at this office. The furnishing of more than one set will be in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Buildings. W. E. REYNOLDS, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Federal Works Agency. 1,2,3

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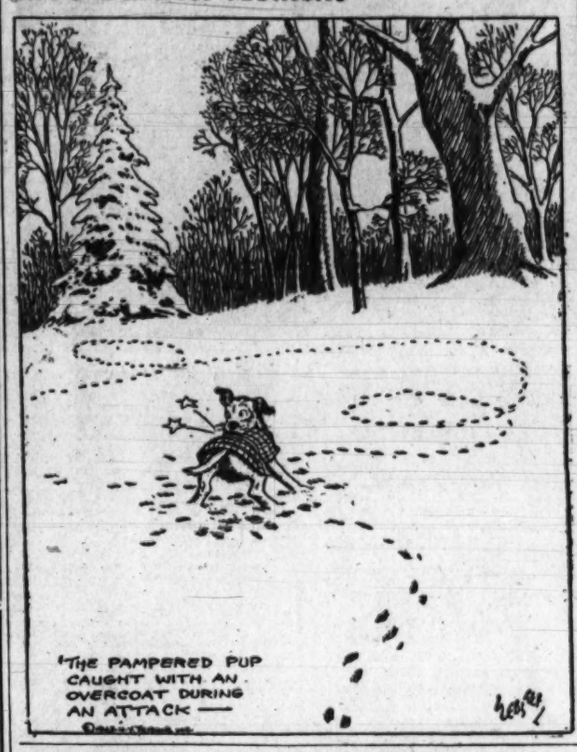

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APTS., UNFURNISHED 52

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APARTMENTS WANTED 54

BUSINESS EXECUTIVE desires unfurn. or furnished 2-bedroom apt.; N.W., close-in. Lease or sublease or buy coop. apt. NA. 3934, ext. 45, weekdays.

TWO gentlemen desire a 2-rm. furn. apt., twin beds. Pref. located near Willard Hotel. Box 265, Washington Post.

APARTMENT or small house with 2 or 3 bedrms., preferably N.W. or suburban locality, furnished or unfurnished. Call CH. 0824.

ONE ROOM, kitchen and bath, in modern bldg.; employed Navy couple; furn. or unfurn.; will buy furniture. EX. 8878, days.

APARTMENTS WANTED 54

DIPLOMAT DESIRES FURN. ROOM, bath, kitchenette, studio; preferred in N.W. section. CO. 1630, Ext. 36.

WIDOW desires to share 2 or 3 bedroom apt. attractively furn.; will pay up to $100 month. RA. 5982.

2 EMPLOYED women desire furn. or unfurn. apt. with bedroom; smaller apt. consid.; permanent. RE. 7400, Ext. 61488.

YOUNG business woman desires 1 room, kitchenette and bath, furnished, N.W. section. About $60. References. EX. 6500, ext. 2395.

LADY will share newly furn. efficiency apt. downtown nw., in apt. bldg. DI. 5968.

YOUNG Army officer and wife desire 2 or 3 rm. furn. apt. nr. Arlington or downtown D. C. WO. 7476 after 5:30 p. m.

TWO-ROOM unfurnished apartment available about Feb. 15, near Dupont or 20th Circle. Two young women. Call EXecutive 6955 between 9 and 5:30.

WANTED immediately, 2 or 3 room furnished apt., NW.; British official and wife. Phone EX. 2020, Ext. 464.

YEAR'S RENT IN ADVANCE
1 OR 2 BEDROOM UNFURN. APT.
Desired by 2 adults, sisters, long residents Washington; $75-$100; by Feb. 15 or sooner. TA. 0404.

WANTED—A nice room and private bath, downtown D. C., Arlington or Alexandria, for refined lady. Husband Lieutenant in Marines; home on weekends. Or efficiency apt., 1-2 rooms. GLebe 7282.

Naval Officer and Wife
desires 2-bedroom unfurn. apt.; nearby Va. preferred. RE. 7400, ext. 2323.

HOUSES, FURNISHED 57

CHEVY CHASE, D. C.—11-room, 3-bath brick, near Rock Creek Park and Military Road. $300. FULTON R. GORDON, Owner, 1427 Eye st. nw. DI. 5230 until 9 p. m.

DUPONT CIRCLE VICINITY.
8-room home, beautifully furnished; 4 bedrms., 2 baths library, living rm., dining room, kitchen. Coal furnace. Auto. hot water defrigerator. For small, high-class family. Owner reserving 1 bedrm. Rent $150. Phone owner, NO. 0542, 2-5 p. m.

GEORGETOWN
Large drawing room, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths; immediate possession. Call Mrs. Scott, DE. 7915 or CO. 7017.

WOODSIDE PARK—Lovely, modern brick house, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, den, living room with fireplace, screened porch, beautiful lot, built-in garage; vacant; $165 mo. GE. 1266. Eves., call GE. 8114.

NEAR ROCK CREEK PARK — Detached English stone, containing 4 bedrooms, 2 baths on 2nd floor; bedroom and bath on 3rd floor. Automatic heat. Avail. now. W. C. & A. N. MILLER DEVELOPMENT CO. 4830 Mass. Ave. N.W. OR. 4464. Evenings phone EMerson 7535.

IN ALEXANDRIA—6 minutes from Pentagon Building; nicely furnished home; 2 bedrooms, den, recreation, dining room; yard; $200. RE. 3733.

TRANSFERRED TO INDIA
Cozy house, quiet neighborhood; 6 rooms, attic, basement, fireplace; 2-car garage; very attractive lease; available soon to parties able to pay $1,000 cash for complete furnishings at sacrifice; 10 minutes from D. C. Line on Bethesda bus. Phone OL. 8186.

HOUSES, UNFURNISHED 59

SWAP (NW.), 3-bedroom, 2-bath home, rent $75, conv. loc., for 2-bedroom unfurn. apt., NW. RA. 1701.

WANTED TO RENT 63

ARLINGTON preferred (or convenient trans. to Pentagon), Civilian employe War Dept. and wife desire small house or apartment furnished or unfurnished. Up to $75. Write Box M-934 Post or call RE. 6700, Ext. 5674.

NAVY OFFICER and wife desire 2-bedroom house, furnished; vicinity Georgetown or N.W.; about $200 mo. COl. 0498.

APARTMENT WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished; modern; living room, bedroom and bath; convenient transportation. Box 213, Washington Post.

R. A. F. officer requires small 4 or 5 room house, unfurnished, for immediate rental; 2 in family. Call DE. 9000, Ext. 104.

3 BEDROOMS, unfurnished house for small adult family, Arlington preferred; excellent references. GL. 9202.

NAVY officer, wife and 2 daughters, require unfurnished house with 2 or 3 bedrooms; 1 or 2 baths preferred; in nearby suburbs convenient for commuting; for occupancy commencing in February or March. Write Box 268, Post.

PLEASE!!!
2-4 bedroom house or apt. unfurnished; N.W. section preferred; excellent references. Will pay up to $150. EM. 7633.

ARMY COLONEL
Desires 2-3 bedroom house, unfurnished. Will pay well. Can assure excellent care of property. Call EXecutive 7700, Ext. 527, between 8-5. After 5 p. m., Ext. 499. Colonel Eubank.

STORES FOR RENT 69

LARGE STORE at Wisconsin ave. and Van Ness st. nw.; about 34x90 feet. LINKINS CO., 1 Dupont Circle.

GARAGES FOR RENT 70

NR. GE. AVE. & Emerson; 2 10x18, 1 10x16; wide alley, elec.; $3.50 mo.; few sell. trade. N. E. RYON CO., 1216 N. Y. ave.

BUSINESS PROP., RENT 78

NEAR 14TH AND K STS. N.W.
Four-story loft building, about 7000 sq. ft. of floor space; elevator; available immediately. LINKINS CO., 1 Dupont Circle.

SALE INVEST. PROP. 81

FOUR-FAMILY all brick detached apt.—Rare opportunity to realize excellent return on well rented new property. Phone OL. 5338 or 3459.

NEAR NAVY YARD
2-family flat, 4-family flat, 6-family flat, corner store and 3 apts., brick, central heating plant; annual rental over $7,000. Priced for quick sale, only $37,500; terms. "YOUR NEIGHBOR BOUGHT FROM US." Leo M. Bernstein & Co. ME. 5400

SALE, D. C. HOUSES 83

BARNABY WOODS
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
$15,950
A lovely, large, 6-room center-hall Colonial home, well located on very large tree-shaded lot. Exclusive community.
EMERSON 9122 'TIL 9 P. M.
C. ALLEN SHERWIN, 4845 MASS. AVE.

BRIGHTWOOD
Only 1 block to bus line; located on large, beautiful lot; a home you will enjoy; spacious living room, dining room, den on first floor; 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, second floor; finished attic; chestnut trim. Call EM. 1290 until 9 p. m. F. A. Tweed Co., 5504 Conn. ave.

CHEVY CHASE, $15,000
One-half block from Chevy Chase Club. Spacious grounds, 120x140, center-hall Colonial; 6 bedrooms and 2 baths; gas heat; 4% financing; vacant, immediate occupancy. Boss & Phelps, Realtors (exclusive listing). NA. 9300.

GEORGETOWN
Spacious 3-story brick house, completely redecorated; 6 bedrooms, 3½ baths; excellent location; available immediately. Call Mrs. Scott, DE. 7915 or CO. 7017.

SHEPHERD PARK
7-ROOM COLONIAL.
This good-looking red brick center-hall house is situated on lovely Morningside Drive—the choice street in beautiful Shepherd Park. Includes paneled den, inclosed sun porch, 3 unusually large bedrooms, 2 baths, large third-floor room, 2-car garage. Priced to move.
FRANK S. PHILLIPS DI. 1411

3016 NICHOLS AVE. SE.—Corner, detached, six rooms, bath, hot-water heat, elec., 1st commercial zone. $7,950. L. T. Gravatte, realtor, exclusive agent, 729 15th st. nw. NAtl. 0753.

239 16TH ST. S.E.
NEWLY REDECORATED
Near Mass. ave. se.—Attrac. 6-rm. brick, 3 bedrooms, bath, 2 screened porches; GAS heat; vacant; ready to move in; reas. terms. DIXIE REALTY CO. NA. 8880.

SALE, D. C. HOUSES 83

LARGE HOME
Located on New Hampshire ave. near Dupont Circle, this extremely well-built brick home with the remodeled brick building in the rear, has 40 rooms and 12 baths. Now used as a rooming house, it shows an extremely good return. The owner has instructed us to SELL THIS PROPERTY. Call ME. 1143 until 6 p. m.
J. WESLEY BUCHANAN, REALTOR.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION, Chevy Chase, D. C., 6 large rooms, 2 baths; oil heat; large veranda, decorate to suit; $12,500; $1,000 cash, $100 monthly. FULTON R. GORDON, Owner, 1427 Eye st. nw. DI. 5230, until 9 p. m.

BEAUTIFUL RANDLE HIGHLANDS Detached, 6 large rooms, 2-car garage, spacious yard; 2 blks. from Penna. ave. se. and shopping center, ½ square from bus. Only $9,150.
ADELBERT W. LEE.
3211 Penna. Ave. S.E. LI. 1000.

4 BEDROOMS—$7,850
Good Northwest neighborhood; center-hall, detached; 8 rooms, bath, 2 large porches, h.-w. h., coal; 2-car garage; lot 50x150; possession in 30 days.
A. D. CRUMBAUGH
4908 Wis. Ave. Realtor. WO. 1-3-6-4.

"IT'S BRAND NEW"
And one of the last remaining new homes in the city. Located in the Cleveland Park area, all three schools, stores and transportation are within a few minutes' walk. There are 6 large rooms, 2½ baths, arranged to give the maximum in both light and comfortable living. Priced to sell and on terms within the reach of the average person. Call ME. 1149 until 6 p. m.
J. WESLEY BUCHANAN, REALTOR.

COLORED—Near 3d and S nw.; 6 rooms, h.-w. heat (gas), 2-car garage; weather-stripped and insulated; 1½ baths; excellent cond.; terms. Mr. Wills, HO. 2827.

HOUSES WANTED 84

CASH—Brick, frame houses, D. C. only Quick settlement. E. A. Garvey, 1 Thomas Cir., DI. 4508 Eve., Sun., GE. 6690.

I PAY HIGHEST ALL CASH PRICES FOR D. C. PROPERTY.
No commissions—Prompt settlement. Call or write E L. Wills, 207 Fla. ave. nw. DE. 1160 or Evenings HO. 2827.

PRINCE GEORGES CO.—Houses and farms for sale or rent. O. B. ZANTZINGER, JR., 3815 Wash.-Lee Blvd. WA. 1819.

WE NEED LISTINGS of moderate-priced residential properties, Northwest and Northeast. Phone, write or call.
WAGGAM

Radio Programs and Highlights

Robert St. John, author, lecturer and foreign correspondent, with highlights and sidelights on the day's news. WRC—8:30 p. m.

Dream House. Lynne Allison, Gene Archer, your host Ray Michael, and the music of Morgan Baer. WMAL—7:30 p. m.

Lights Out. Arch Oboler dramatizes the story of a vengeful husband falsely accused of his wife's murder in "Until Dead." WJSV—8 p. m.

Duffy's Tavern. Ed Gardner as the irrepressible "Archie," faces the myriad problems of his famous "pub" with his usual implacable Brooklyn spirit. WMAL—8:30 p. m.

Monte Wooley, "The Man Who Came to Dinner," returns as guest on the Al Jolson Show. Al sings the songs that made him famous, and Carol Bruce sings the popular melodies. WJSV—8:30 p. m.

Round Table. "The Job Ahead for the Railroads" is discussed in a conference which features Henry J. McCarthy, director of the Traffic Movement Division of the ODT. WWDC—9 p. m.

Burns and Allen. As the result of another bit of Gracie Allen zanimania, the servant problem is solved in the Burns household with disastrous results to George's digestion. WJSV—9 p. m.

Murder Clinic. Detective of the week is G. K. Chesterton's Horne Fisher, who solves the mystery of "The Hole in the Wall." WOL—9:30 p. m.

Spotlight Bands, with Russ Morgan under the arc tonight. WMAL—9:30 p. m.

Bob Hope, with Songstress Frances Langford, Jerry Colonna, Skinnay Ennis' orchestra. WRC—10 p. m.

Red Skelton, Radio's bad boy, the despair of his mother (Harriet Hilliard) and the delight of the youngsters. Ozzie Nelson and his orchestra. WRC—10:30 p. m.

Treasury Star Parade presents Margo as the dramatic voice of ultimate conviction that "This Is It;" this is the conflict by which we nobly save or meanly lose the last hope of earth. WINX—11:15 p. m.

Tuesday, Feb. 2 — Washington — Eastern War Time

	WMAL 630KC	WRC 980KC	WOL 1260KC	WINX 1340KC	WWDC 1450KC	WJSV 1500KC
	News, 6, 7. Today's Prelude, 6:05. Hittenmark, 7:10, 8, 8:35. C. Mahony, 7:45.	News at 6, 7 A.M. Your Timekeeper, Bill Henson, 6:05, 7:05. News R., 8.	Dawn Patrol to 6:30. Art Brown. 6:35-6:30. News at 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30 by Jefferay.	Jerry Strong, 6, 7:05, 8:05. News, 7, 8 and 9.	News, 6, 9. Cr'wley, 6:45. Brokenshire, 7, 9. Let's Get M., 7:15. Captain Cash, 8, 9.	Sun Dial, 6, 6:30 Arthur Godfrey, 7 to 9:45 A.M. News, 6, 6:30, 7 & 7:30 A.M. Lee 9:55
9:00	Breakfast Club	Mary Mason	Art Brown	Bob Callahan	Bing Crosby	Sun Dial
9:15	Breakfast Club	Mary Mason	At the Organ	Young Dr. Malone	Judy Garland	Sun Dial
9:30	Breakfast Club	News; Banghart	Homemakers Club	Win Money	News; Alice Lane	Sun Dial
9:45	Breakfast Club	Rhyme Time	News—Club	From WINX	Harry Horlick	Home Service
10:00	Star Parade	Robert St. John	Homemakers	News; Win Money	Landt Trio	Valiant Lady
10:15	Roy Porter	The O'Neills	Mr. Moneybags	From WINX	Town Crier	American Stories
10:30	Pin Money	Helpmate	"Sew by	Traffic Court	J. Herrick Hall	Honeymoon Hill
10:45	Pin Money	American Woman	Radio"	Traffic Court	Bet. the Lines	Bach. Children
11:00	Breakfast	Road of Life	Sydney Moseley	News; Music	Captain Cash;	Keeping in Step
11:15	at Sardi's	Vic and Sade	Morning Serenade	Eileen George	Harmony House	Second Husband
11:30	Hank Lawson	Snow Village	News—Compton	Vic. Starts at H'me	Kenny Baker	Bright Horizon
11:45	Reiser Duo	David Harum	Boothby Mansell	Hymns	Dinah Shore	Aunt Jenny
12:00	News; Jenkins	News; Novelette	Boake Carter	News Roundup	Password Please	Kate Smith Speaks
12:15	Little Show	Words and Music	Bill Hay Reads	Just Lee Everett	Rev. Clifford	Big Sister
12:30	Nat'l Farm &	Devotions	U. S. Marine	Luncheon	Dixieland Jamboree	Helen Trent
12:45	Home Hour	Uncle Sam	Band	Music	Headlines From W.	Our Gal Sunday
1:00	News, B'kh'ge	Matinee Today	News, Hodges'	News;	Concert Hour	Life Beautiful
1:15	Open House	Matinee Today	Sports Page	Sports	Concert Hour	Ma Perkins
1:30	Open House	Matinee Today	Strictly Personal	Parade	Concert Hour	Vic and Sade
1:45	Army Band	Carey Longmire	Mr. Moneybags	Tony Wakeman	Concert Hour	The Goldbergs
2:00	Army Band	Light of World	Sec. Harold	News; Sports	Concert Hour	Young Dr. Malone
2:15	Open House	Lonely Women	L. Ickes	Parade	Concert Hour	Joyce Jordan
2:30	The Victory	Guiding Light	Russ Hodges'	Music	Vincent Lopez	Love and Learn
2:45	Hour	Church Hymns	Sports Page	Music	"On Stage"	Pepper Young
3:00	Musical	Mary Marlin	Army-Navy	Music; Tony	Sweet and Swing	American School
3:15	Matinee	Ma Perkins	"E" Award	Wakeman	News by Daisy	of the Air
3:30	Musical	Pepper Young	Russ Hodges	Music	1450 Club	News & Rhythms
3:45	Matinee	Right to Hap'iness	Hay Burners	Music	1450 Club	Glee Club
4:00	News; Jenkins	Backstage Wife	Russ Hodges'	Tony Wakeman	Captain Cash	Sarah Myrl
4:15	Accent on	Stella Dallas	Sports Page	Tony Wakeman	1450 Club	Organ Music
4:30	Music	Lorenzo Jones	Russ Hodges'	Music	News; 1450 Club	Uncle Sam
4:45	Accent	Widow Brown	Sports Page	Music	Richard Eaton	Shannon Bells
5:00	on	Girl Marries	Pres. Conference	News; Louis	Captain Cash	Texas Rangers
5:15	Music	Portia Faces Life	Uncle Sam	Betancourt	Band of the Day	Texas Rangers
5:30	Jack Armstr'g	Just Plain Bill	News; Music	Wohls Orch.	News	News; Dream H.
5:45	Capt. Midn't	Front Page Farrell	Superman	News Roundup	Ray Carson	Ben Bernie
6:00	Terry & Pir'tes	News; Allies	Prayer; News	Sports Parade	Hollywood Camera	Frazier Hunt
6:15	Baukhage	Musicade	String Ensemble	Ronnie Kemper	Elder Boothby	Edwin C. Hill
6:30	Bits o' Hits	Robert St. John	News-Compton	Uncle Sam	"Strick" Gillian	Hemisphere Music
6:45	Low Thomas	Musicade	Syncopations	Orchestra	Uncle Sam	The World Today
7:00	Day Is Done	Fred Waring	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	News; Money	Romantic Renderv's	Amos 'n' Andy
7:15	Richard Eaton	News of the World	Johnson Family	Calling	Freddie Martin	Harry James Or.
7:30	Dream House	In the Service	Confidentially	Bethel	Xavier Cugat	American
7:45	Dream House	Angels of Mercy	Don Reid's Orch.	Tabernacle	Richard Eaton	Melody Hour
8:00	E. Godwin	Johnny Presents:	Singin' Sam	News; Corps	Star Parade	Lights Out
8:15	Lum 'n' Abner	Ginny Simms	Abe Lyman	My Problem Is	1450 Club	Lights Out
8:30	Duffy's	Horace Heidt's	Magic	Traffic Court	News; 1450 Club	Al Jolson
8:45	Tavern	Treasure Chest	Dollars	Traffic Court	1450 Club	Variety Show
9:00	Famous Jury	Battle of	Gabriel Heatter	News;	The Job Ahead	Burns and Allen
9:15	Trials	the Sexes	News; Music	Symphony	1450 Club	Show
9:30	Spotlight	Fibber McGee	Murder Clinic	Hour	Dean Kayser	Suspense
9:45	Bands	and Molly	Murder Clinic	" " "	1450 Club	Suspense
10:00	R. G. Swing	Bob Hope	John B. Hughes	Rainbow Trio	Dorsey Brothers'	Only Yesterday
10:15	Gracie Fields	Show	Art Kassel	Love and Learn	Orchestra	Only Yesterday
10:30	This Nation	Red Skelton	Paul Schubert	Neil Bondshu	Dick Jurgens	Elbert D. Thomas
10:45	at War	Show	Dance Orchestra	Orchestra	News From London	Safer Washington
11:00	News	News; Music	News; B. Repaid	News; Fiesta	Jack Stevens	News; Howe
11:15	Leo Reisman	Richard Harkness	George Duffy	Star Parade	Benny Goodman	Arch McDonald's
11:30	R. Heatherton	Music You Want	Sinfonietta	Josef Franck	Continental Hits	Moon Dial
11:45	Spiritual Life	Music You Want	Sinfonietta	Orchestra	Continental Hits	Dancing in Dark

TERRY AND THE PIRATES — It Wouldn't Stick Dick — By Milton Caniff

IN THE MOVIES THEY'RE ALWAYS DOING SECRET INKS AND STUFF LIKE THAT! PULP CORDON HAD NONE OF THOSE THINGS WHEN HE WROTE THIS!
IN FACT HE PROBABLY WROTE IT UNDER HOT PRESSURE...BESIDES THE OLD MAN SAW THE CODE BY SIMPLY LOOKING AT IT!
LET'S TRY READING EVERY THIRD WORD—OR EVERY FOURTH WORD—OR SOMETHING!
EVERY THIRD ONE READS: "DOWN-TOWN-CAL-ON-YOU-IT-OH, NUTS!
SEE THAT? IT'S A TRANSPORT THE GENERAL HAS ORDERED TO GO AFTER PLIP... AND HERE WE STAY...
I'D GIVE MY EYETEETH TO CRACK THIS...
EYETEETH! AHHH THAT'S IT!
I STILL DON'T GET IT! TSK, TSK, DICK TRACY WOULD BE SO ASHAMED OF HIM!

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

NO, MRS. WORTH...I DON'T WANT TO SEE MY...MY MOTHER! IT MIGHT CHANGE THINGS...WITH MY ADOPTED PARENTS! DON'T YOU UNDERSTAND?
YOU LOVE THEM VERY MUCH, DON'T YOU, MARY?
NO GIRL COULD LOVE HER...REAL PARENTS MORE!
AND YOU SHOULD FEEL THAT WAY, MY CHILD! A GIRL LIKE YOU COULD ONLY COME FROM A SPLENDID HOME...!
BUT...DO YOU THINK MOTHER SMITH WOULD WANT YOU TO REFUSE THE DYING REQUEST OF ANY WOMAN?
NO...YOU'RE RIGHT! SHE NEVER DID AN UNKIND THING IN HER WHOLE LIFE!
THEN...WE HAVE JUST TIME TO MAKE THE TRAIN!

MICKEY FINN — Duty Calls! — By Lank Leonard

IS UNCLE PHIL GOING TO WORK AGAIN TODAY?
WE'LL SOON KNOW, SUNNY—I JUST HEARD HIS ALARM-CLOCK GO OFF!
GOODBYE, PHILIP—AND MAIL THIS LETTER TO MICHAEL ON YOUR WAY TO THE PLANT!
YOU DIDN'T TELL HIM ABOUT JOHNNY SWEENEY, DID YOU?
NO—HE'S TAKING HIS FINAL EXAMINATIONS THIS WEEK AND I KNOW HOW IT WOULD EFFECT HIM!
WELL—YOU USED YOUR HEAD—HE THOUGHT THE WORLD OF THAT BOY!

MR. AND MRS. — A Bargain On the Curb Market — By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

LOOK, JOE! THAT EASY CHAIR!
WHAT ABOUT IT?
NOW YOU CAN SEE WHAT SOME PEOPLE THINK ISN'T GOOD ENOUGH TO KEEP
WELL—AND AGAIN WHAT ABOUT IT?
THAT CHAIR IS ACTUALLY BETTER THAN SOME WE HAVE IN OUR LIVING ROOM, AND YOU DON'T THINK WE NEED FURNITURE!
NOT A BAD NOTION
I'LL GO BACK AND ASK THE FOLKS IN THAT HOUSE IF WE CAN HAVE IT—BEAT THE RUBBISH MAN TO IT
JOE GREEN! HAVE YOU LOST ALL SENSE OF SHAME?

DIXIE DUGAN — Pretty! — By J. P. McEvoy and H. J. Striebel

RIGHT AROUND HOME — By Dudley Fisher

SAMPSONS POP IS GOING TO TAKE HIM TO THE MOVIE. CAN WE GO, TOO?
NO!
I GUESS YOU DON'T LOVE ME AS MUCH AS SAMPSONS POP LOVES HIM!
OH, ALL RIGHT. I'LL GO!
SAMPSON! WE'RE GOING!
MY POP SAID HE DIDN'T SEE ANY NEED OF YOU AND HIM BOTH GOING!

JOE PALOOKA — The Low-Down — By Ham Fisher

FIRST OFF, HANK IS NOT SO GOOD LOOKING, BUT SOME OF THE HOMELIEST MEN ARE THE HANDSOMEST, IF YOU GET WHAT I MEAN—
?? I'M TRYING TO—
* PRETTY IS AS PRETTY DOES." MY MOTHER ALWAYS SAYS—SOUNDS OLD FASHIONED BUT YOU HAVE TO ADMIT IT'S SOLID
UH-HUH YEH! I GUESS SO
MOST OF THE GOODLOOKING MEN ARE CONCEITED AND SELF CONSCIOUS! THEY EXPECT US GIRLS TO GAZE AT THEM! — FROM NOW ON, IT'S HANK—
SORRY
OH—QUITE ALL RIGHT—
BUMP
COME ON—QUIT CHANGING THE SUBJECT

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Call To Action — By Frank Martinek

—AN' THAT'S THE WHOLE STORY.
IT'S WONDERFUL. I NEVER RECOGNIZED YOU. I WAS LOOKING FOR MY SOLDIER—AND NEVER EVEN SAW ANYONE ELSE.
BUT AIN'T THE MAKE-UP ANY GOOD?
IT'S GREAT, BUT NATURALLY YOUR FRIENDS WOULD KNOW YOU. YOU WOULDN'T BE RECOGNIZED IMMEDIATELY 'HO'—OR AT A SHORT DISTANCE.
OHH DARLING, DARLING—I'M SO EXQUISITELY HAPPY—I—I—
ME TOO, DEAREST. YA KNOW I'D RATHER BE IN COMBAT—BUT I WOULDN'T BE NEAR YOU.
OUR HOLIDAY WAS ONLY TWO DAYS. YOU STILL HAVE A LOT OF TIME ON YOUR FURLOUGH.
YA KNOW—I ALMOST GIVE MYBILF AWAY. EVERY TIME A LOOTENANT PASSES, I GO T'SALUTE. I GOTTA KEEP MY HAND IN MY POCKET T'MAKE ME THINK—TOH TOH.

JANE ARDEN — Commandos — By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

YEP! THAT ISLANDS BROKEN INTO A HUNDRED PIECES...EACH ONE A JAP WARSHIP
WINSLOW TO MIDWAY—WINSLOW TO MIDWAY—JAP ARMADA CLOSING FOR ATTACK. NINETY MILES SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST. TURN OUT ALL PLANES
WE'VE SHOT OUR BOLT, RED. GOTTA GET HOME QUICK FOR MORE AMMUNITION
WE'LL MEET OUR GANG SWARMING OUT!
BOY! WILL THIS BE A BATTLE!

BIG CHIEF WAHOO — By Saunders and Woggon

WHAT'S THAT? MACHINE GUNS!
THEY HAVE COME!
RIGHT ON THE DOT!
COMMANDOS, CAPTAIN—THEY ARE THROUGH OUR FIRST LINE—
WIRE THE MAJOR TO COME BACK—QUICK—PHONE DIVISION HEADQUARTERS FOR HELP!
IMPOSSIBLE, CAPTAIN—THE WIRES ARE ALL CUT!
HIMMEL! WE CAN'T GET HELP!
WE HAVE YOU TWO TO THANK FOR THAT—
EXACTLY!

SUPERMAN — Hear Superman 5:45 P.M. Today—WOL — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

NAME YER BLINDIN' POISON, LADS!—AN' MAKE MINE RUM, FLOSSIE!
TWO GLASSES OF COCOANUT MILK!
SOUTH SEA SODY WATER, EH? THAT'S ALL RIGHT BY CAPN CROKE! HE LIKES A SOBER CREW!
THE LEAST WE CAN DO AS SEA-GOIN' HITCH-HIKERS IS GIVE YOU A GOOD DAY'S WORK, CAPTAIN!
RIGHT! AN' YE'LL NEVER BE SORRY YE SAILED ON TH' "BETSY ANN!"
meet me Outside

DONALD DUCK — Just Another Pedestrian — BY WALT DISNEY

BOTH CLARK KENT AND SUPERMAN ON THE DAILY PLANET ROOF! AND IN A SECOND I'LL JOIN THEM!
LOIS WILL REACH THE ROOF ANY MOMENT—THEREFORE I'D BETTER COMPLETE THE TRANSFORMATION BACK TO KENT WITHOUT ANY WASTE OF TIME!
WHERE'S SUPERMAN?
SORRY, LOIS—WHEN I GAVE HIM MISS HEINLEY'S MESSAGE HE EXPRESSED REGRET THAT HE HADN'T THE TIME TO WAIT FOR YOU AND LEAPT UP INTO THE SKY!
WHERE ARE WE HEADED FOR?
THE METROPOLIS TRAIN TERMINAL, NATURALLY! TO INQUIRE ABOUT A CERTAIN MR. CONKLIN!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — By Clifford McBride

PHOOEY! IN WEATHER LIKE THIS I'LL PARK WHERE I PLEASE!
DO NOT • PARK • SNOW-SHOVELERS AT WORK
GET UP THE LADDER-MEN! THIS QUAKE'LL BRING A TIDAL WAVE!
WOW! THE ISLAND'S BREAK-ING UP!
HOLD ON! HERE COMES TH' WAVE!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

8 Indicted For Violations Of Draft Law

The District Court grand jury returned eight indictments yesterday against men accused of violating draft regulations.

Howard B. Quayle, jr., 20, 1800 block Massachusetts Avenue Northwest, was the first youth to be indicted here under the 18 to 20 year draft law. Quayle was arrested on a charge of forging a Government check and it was then found he was alleged to be carrying the draft card of another man.

Others indicted for violating the Selective Service regulations were: Arthur G. Dennis, 29, 5800 block Colorado Avenue Northwest, failure to carry his draft registration card; Reuben L. Grimes, 24 1400 block T Street Northwest, failure to return a draft registration questionnaire; Lester Griest, 39, 1200 block I Street Northwest, failure to have a registration card; William E. Comer, 38, 1700 block Q Street Northwest, failure to register; Dallas Akers, 35, 300 block E Street Northwest, failure to return a questionnaire, and Robert J Brooks, 33, 2300 block Champlain Street Northwest, failure to report for a physical examination.

Other indictments returned were:

Robbery—Samuel E. Persell, Russell E. Fowler, Arthur Proctor, James E. Perry, Cleorzo Melvin, Howard Williams, Sidney Gray.

Housebreaking and larceny—Richard E. Carter, James Allen, Richard Shorter, Charles L. R. Burke, John W. Kester, Max Eddington.

Receiving stolen property—Rebecca Bratcher, Sarah A. Reeder, Mary P. Fennell, Ellsworth Jeffries, Lucy R. Dickerson.

Grand larceny—William Maloly, Eugene Wong, Gladys Threatt, James Sellars, Macarchie Johnson, Charles Young, Bernard Griffin, Lawrence R. Byas, George N. Mitchell.

Assault with a dangerous weapon—Guy Wood, Gunnie Lott, Henrietta Mask, Beeady T. Lomax, Harry A. Wells.

Forging a Government check—Kenneth Washington, Howard B. Quayle, jr.

Forging and uttering—Leo Smith.

Violating motor vehicle theft act—Hilton White.

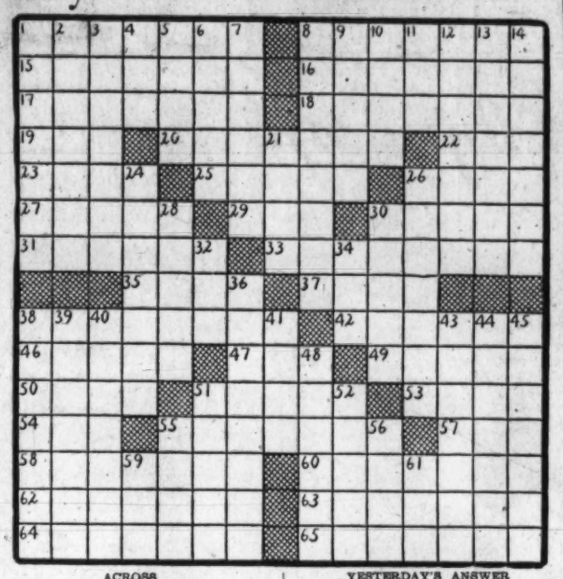
Larceny From the United States—Alfred Pinckney.

Manslaughter—Elbert Gant.

French Officer Killed

London, Feb. 1 (AP).—The Paris radio reported today that the head of the French Legion in Chambery, had been assassinated while walking in a Paris street. The broadcast did not give the name of the victim. The assassin escaped.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle



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YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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Navy Lists Va. Youth as Missing

Fred Patton, jr., seaman, second class of Manassas, Va., was listed as "missing" on a Navy casualty list released yesterday. The list named 87 casualties for the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard, bringing the total for the war to 22,467 dead, wounded or missing. The new list reported 8 dead, 8 wounded and 71 missing.

Destroyer Walker Launched Privately

Bath, Me., Feb. 1 (AP).—A trim destroyer, U. S. S. Walker, slid into the Kennebec River yesterday from the ways of the Bath Iron Works Corp.

Only yard and Navy officials and workmen saw the fighting craft christened by Miss Sarah Cochran Walker of Boston, daughter of the late Rear Admiral John Grimes Walker, a native of Hillsborough, N. H.

U. S. to Probe War Plant Fraud Charge

By the Associated Press

Kansas City, Feb. 1.—A Federal grand jury convened today with indications that it would plunge directly into an investigation of war production activities of a Kansas City firm.

United States District Attorney Maurice M. Milligan and his assistant, Richard K. Phelps, were ready to go before the jury called by Federal Judge Albert L. Reeves with a case prepared by the war frauds unit of the Department of Justice.

The Kansas City Star said it had learned the case involved a Kansas City firm manufacturing airplane material for the War Department.

Milligan estimated that presentation of testimony to the jury would require two or three weeks. The Army's chief witness, and the first to go before the grand jury, is Lieut. Col. William O'Dwyer, prosecutor of Murder, Inc., Brooklyn, who now is inspector for the material command of the Army Air Forces.

Among witnesses subpoenaed to appear before the jury today are Henry Blume, Ben D. Christian, Ray Cramer and Lawrence C. Oertle, all in care of Safeway Manufacturing Co., of Milwaukee; Ruth Curry, Solon, Ohio; Sallo M. Kahn, in care of William Barrow, New York City; Dave Smith, Safeway Steel Products Co., Milwaukee, and cashiers of the Fifth Third Union Trust Co., Cincinnati, Ohio; the Central National Bank, London, Ohio; the Madison National Bank, London, Ohio, and the Merchants National Bank, Dayton, Ohio.

Barkley Proves Age Of Chivalry Isn't Dead

By the Associated Press

The age of chivalry is still going strong in the Senate.

Kentucky's Alben W. Barkley said yesterday in congratulating Hattie W. Caraway of Arkansas on her sixtyfifth birthday:

"If Mrs. Caraway were no older than she looks, she would not be eligible for membership in this body."

Conference to Fix Spotlight On D.C. Social Disease Problem

The Capital's attention will be called to the prevalence of venereal diseases here as National Social Hygiene Day is observed at a luncheon to be held at the Y. W. C. A. at 12:15. Dr. Harry Overstreet, of the Philosophy Department of the College of the City of New York, will be principal speaker.

Of the 45,000 cases of syphillis found in the District by the United States Public Health Service, about 6000 persons received treatment at the various clinics, Dr. William E. Graham, director of the Health Department's Bureau of Venereal Diseases, reported. Of these cases, more than 1000 were highly infectious at the time of admittance to the clinics.

Thousands of Others

In addition to the cases treated at the clinics, many thousands of others were assumed to have received treatment from private physicians, without report to the Health Department. But thousands of others were supposed to have taken no treatments whatsoever.

During 1941, 2678 persons were treated for gonorrhea in the Health Department clinics. Because of the relative mildness of this disease and its short period of treatment, in comparison with syphilis, the Health Department believes that a proportionately larger number of cases of gonorrhea are handled by private physicians. There is reason to believe, however, that many of such cases receive no treatment.

A concerted drive is being staged to trace the sources of infection of patients, epecially those in the armed services. "These sources, usually prostitutes or promiscuous girls who frequent such places as certain beer parlors are contacted by male investigators of the Health Department, and an attempt is made to induce these persons who, of course, are suspected of having a venereal disease, to appear at a clinic for examination," the Health Department stated.

The District's venereal clinics are located at the Southwest Health Center, Delaware Avenue and I Street Southwest; Folk School Clinic, Seventh and P Streets Northwest and at Freedmen's Hospital, Sixth and Bryant Streets Northwest.

Officials Warned By Dr. Wilbur

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 1 (AP).—Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, chancellor of Stanford University, asserted tonight that "every official who permits a house of prostitution to exist has his share" in the deaths and "damaged bodies and souls" caused by veneral diseases.

In an address prepared for delivery before the American Social Hygiene Association, of which he is president, Wilbur added:

"Yet thousands of such centers of infection for the spread of . . . syphilis have been accepted, condoned and even licensed by governing bodies."

Five Die in Crash Of Trainer Plane

Sacramento, Calif., Feb. 1 (AP).—Five men were killed yesterday near Midland, Tex., in the crash of a two-engine nagivation training plane, Mather Field officials said today.

Those killed were Second Lieut. Lindsey H. Barclay, 28, Arlington, Tex.; First Lieut. Albert T. Dumont, 27, New York City; Aviation Cadets Robert A. Polhamus, 21, Kremling, Colo.; William E. Tretler, 26, Cleveland, and James A. Powers, 26, Minneapolis, Minn.

Portuguese Destroyer Rescues 119 Yanks

Lisbon, Feb. 1 (INS).—The Portuguese destroyer Lima tonight reported the rescue of 119 American sailors from a torpedoed ship off the Azores last Wednesday.

New World Spirit After War Seen By Mrs. Roosevelt

New York, Feb. 1 (AP).—The war has changed senses of values throughout the world until only human beings have value now, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt said today.

"Something has happened to people's sense of values," she said. "Things don't seem the same any more. Only human beings—people—have any value now."

The President's wife, addressing a luncheon of the New York Junior League, predicted that "when the war is over there will be a new spirit in the world."

"We must understand that sprilt or we will be out of step," Mrs. Roosevelt asserted.

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THE CASE of the UNEXPECTED GUEST SOLVED BY . . . "TWIN INSURANCE"

"Mrs. A's" little bundle from heaven turned out to be twins . . . instead of just one infant! What to do about clothes! And then she remembered her Twin Insurance Certificate, handed her absolutely free of charge when she purchased her original layette at The Hecht Co. Result: Mrs. A turned it in, and received a duplicate layette for the "unexpected guest" at no additional cost . . . and penny-for-penny up to the full price of the original layette!

THE CASE of the PERPLEXED MOTHER SOLVED BY . . 'MOTHERCRAFT STAFF'

"Mrs. B." . . . expecting her "first" was completely at loss what to choose in the way of linen and tiny garments. So she came to The Hecht Co.'s Infants' Department and consulted a specially trained Mothercraft sales lady, who gave her invaluable "tips" on how to clothe and care for her cherub. Result: Immense relief on the part of Mother . . . and baby had everything "just right!"

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Mrs. Day's Ideal Baby Shoes

Elementary . . . my dear Watson! Such perfect prints could only be made by the most perfect-fitting little shoes . . . "Mrs. Day's Ideal Baby Shoes"—I'd say! Um-m-m—not much mystery here, either . . . the trail leads directly to The Hecht Co. . . . and ends in the Infant's Department, Second Floor, where these shoes will be found in four distinct types for babies of all ages, from Crib-kickers to High-stepping Tots! Clearly a "hot lead" to Mothers on the right shoes to start baby happily and healthfully on his 65,000-mile walk through life! *Infants' Shoes, Second Floor, The Hecht Co.*

We "Little Folk" want to do our bit toward making the Axis throw a fit! So . . . follow this patriotic clue: BUY US A WAR SAVING BOND—OR TWO!

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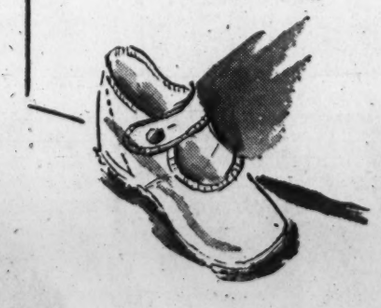
First Type

CRIB SHOE . . . when only the softest possible covering is needed for tender little feet. Sketched: Cushion-sole strap slipper in white washable kid. Sizes 1 to 3 ..... **1.25**

Infants' Shoes . . . Second Floor



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Second Type

CREEPER SHOE . . . when there's a definite need for a more substantial foot protection. Sketched: White-laced soft-sole shoe, narrow or chubby. Sizes 1 to 3 ..... **1.50**

Infants' Shoes . . . Second Floor

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Third Type

LEARN-TO-WALK SHOE the *in-between* stage, when baby needs foot and ankle support for his first staggering steps. Sketched: White kid shoes, "intermediate sole." Sizes 2 to 5, **2.25**

Infants' Shoes . . . Second Floor

D

Fourth Type

WALKING SHOE . . . when baby is romping and running, and needs heavier shoes and solid support. Sketched: Flexible hard-sole shoe. In average or chubby widths. Sizes 3 to 6 ..... **2.75**

Sizes 6½ to 8 ..... **3.50**

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